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DEBS GOES TO PRISON.

He and Other Officers of the A.R.U. Refuse to Give Bonds

AND ARE COMMITTED BY COURT.

They Are Held for Alleged Violation of the Injunction Issued by Judges Wood and Grosscup and Will Have a Hearing on Monday Next.

CHICAGO July 18—Eugene V Debs, George W, Howard, L W Rogers and Sylvester Keliher the officers of the A R U, were committed to jail late yesterday by Judge Seaman in the United States circuit court for alleged violation of the injunction issued by Judges Wood and Grosscup. The four leaders of the strike in reality went to jail in default of bail for the court offered them their liberty until next Monday when they will have a hearing on the charge of contempt. Their bail was fixed at $3000 each but the men refused to give it and the court committed them.

Debs and his companions were taken to jail by Marshal Arnold and before they left the court room Judge Seaman instructed the marshal to take them out of the jail at any reasonable time or times in order that they may have abundant opportunity to consult their attorneys between this and next Monday.

District Attorney Milchrist filed an information in court charging the officers of the union with violating the injunction and asked for a writ of attachment for contempt. It was not necessary to issue a writ for Debs for he was in court when the information was filed.

When Mr Milchrist had finished the reading of the information Attorney George R Peck, representing the receivers of the Santa Fe system took the floor and read a petition for writs of attachment against the defendants on behalf of that railroad. The petition asked that the defendants be punished for contempt for violating the order appointing the receivers as well as for violating the general injunction as it applies to the railroad. A number of acts of violence were alleged and preferred [illegible].

A telegram [illegible] in court sent by Debs [illegible] "Montreal. [illegible] are weakening. If the strike is not settled in forty eight hours complete paralysis will follow. [illegible] and we are out of sight. Save your money and buy a gun."

When seen at [illegible] in the jail awaiting the preparation of his [illegible] Debs said "Well [illegible] and quiet at last. I have not had much rest for over a month and I am badly in need of it. Our bonds are $3000 each but we would not [illegible] cents each. We are not posing as martyrs, neither do we [illegible] for sympathy."

[illegible]

[illegible]

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES

National League

At Philadelphia—[illegible] Philadelphia 9 [illegible] At Pittsburg—[illegible] St Louis 4 At Chicago—Chicago 8 St Louis [illegible] At Cincinnati—Cleveland [illegible] Cincinnati 7 At New York—New York 7 Washington [illegible] At Baltimore—Baltimore 12 Brooklyn 4

Eastern League

At Providence—Providence 7 Buffalo 2 At Troy—Troy 6 Binghamton 4 At Springfield—Erie 8 Springfield 7 At Syracuse—Syracuse 5 Wilkesbarre 3

Pennsylvania State League

At Hazleton—Allentown 14 Hazleton 13 At Lancaster—Reading 3 Lancaster, 2 At Harrisburg—Pottsville 4 Harrisburg, 3

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IN SENATE AND HOUSE

The Bailey Voluntary Bankruptcy Bill Passed by the House.

WASHINGTON, July 18 — The house passed the Bailey voluntary bankruptcy bill yesterday by a vote of 127 to 81 and devoted the remainder of the day to business reported from the judiciary committee. Only two bills, however, were disposed of, one to create an additional circuit judge for the eighth judicial circuit and the other making United States railroad corporations for the purpose of jurisdiction citizens of the states through which they pass or into which they go.

A surprise was sprung upon the senate which blocked the hitherto rapid progress on the appropriation bills and almost prevented immediate passage of the agricultural appropriation bill. The consideration of this bill was practically completed Monday, and the bill was on the eve of being passed when Mr Hansbrough offered an amendment appropriating $2 000,000 for the destruction of the Russian cactus or thistle. A point of order made against it yesterday was decided in the negative by a vote of the senate—26 to 22. The amendment consumed the remainder of the day and led to considerable discussion. It was finally adopted by a vote of 27 to 24.

WIPED OUT BY FLAME

The Town of Greenbush, N J, Entirely Destroyed by Fire

EGG HARBOR CITY, N J, July 18—There is no end yet to the forest fires that have been raging in this city for the past week. Yesterday an entire village was wiped out. The flames that has been sweeping toward Bridgeport were turned aside by a shift of the wind and they reached a point near the little village of Greenbush.

The residents in the meantime had driven their live stock to a place of safety and when it became apparent that the village was doomed they loaded their household effects into wagons and hurried them away. Much [illegible] remained to be moved when the flames reached the houses. The village stood in a little clearing in the pine belt and the stacks of hay and the dry wood of the buildings proved even better food for the element than the woods around. The villagers are now encamped in a clearing some distance away. In addition to the destruction of this village many residences and [illegible] in the course of the fire have been destroyed.

A Discharged Employe's Deed

DALLAS, Tex, July 18—Just after the South Dallas cotton mill started work H P Berner, boss weaver, entered the office of Superintendent Adolf Nickel and assaulted that official with a knife. After cutting him and stabbing him in several places he drove the knife home to Nickel's heart. Nickel died almost instantly. Berner next assaulted John Nickel, son of the superintendent, inflicting a half dozen severe cuts and [illegible] two stabs reaching the [illegible]. Berner then surrendered himself to the police [illegible]. Young Nickel [illegible].

Would Be [illegible] Shot

[illegible]

The Vigilant Wins a Race

[illegible] But the [illegible] struck on the head by a piece of the shackle which fell from aloft at the time of the accident and received a bad cut.

A Lunatic Kills Another.

ROCHESTER, N Y, July 18—Gertrude Ehinger, a patient at the state hospital for the insane here was killed yesterday by Mary McClellan another lunatic. An attendant heard them struggling and screaming and entering the room found the McClellan woman who is 40 years old kicking her victim who is 77 years old. The old lady died of concussion of the brain due to her injuries.

Dr Hand's Colic Cure in Hudson.

HUDSON, N. Y., Sept. 28, 1893.

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THE BIRMINGHAM TROUBLE

Over a Hundred Rioters Arrested for Participating in Tuesday's Battle.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala, July 18—The situation is yet one of uneasiness and uncertainty. The arrival of the militia has had a quieting effect, but it is their presence which prevents a more serious state of affairs.

The dead, so far as known, are B W Tierce, chief of the guards, John Flore a French rioter, three unknown non-union miners, Anthony Carroll, a negro miner. The wounded as far as known, are: George Campbell, a negro miner, will die; Roderique Reguez, a striking miner, will die, Caleb Jones a striking miner, Phillip Steinitz a striker Barney Anderson, a negro non-union miner.

The indignation of the citizens at the outrage reached a climax when a mass meeting was held to denounce the strikers. Strong resolutions were adopted and a committee on public safety was appointed to aid the authorities in bringing the guilty parties to justice.

The mines are guarded by fifteen companies of soldiers with orders to shoot to kill and if another attack is made the troops will make short work of the rioters. Over a hundred strikers were arrested during the day. The prisoners were brought to Birmingham and are being guarded by a strong force of deputy sheriffs at the Jefferson county jail.

Two unsuccessful attempts to burn loaded freight cars were made in the Georgia Pacific yards. An attempt was also made to wreck passenger train No 4 on the Louisville and Nashville railroad but the engineer discovered the plot in time to save the lives of nearly a hundred passengers. All of the railroad yards here are being patroled by soldiers and deputy sheriffs.

Brutal Assaults on Trainmen

FORT WAYNE Ind July 18—New men employed on Fort Wayne's roads, in the yards and as trainmen are hourly subjected to the most brutal assaults from unknown men. Arthur Baldwin a Nickel Plate switchman was found in the yards insensible. Three other switchmen and a call boy were stoned. Conductor Mulcany of the Pennsylvania road was knocked down by a large stone and a card in the face. Three switchmen on the Pennsylvania were clubbed. Both Nickel Plate and Wabash passenger trains were stoned. [illegible] the only rioter arrested [illegible] a Captain Borg [illegible] before he surrendered.

Tried to Wreck a Train

CHICAGO, July 18—A mob of 300 men armed with picks and crowbars tried to tear up the Michigan Central tracks five miles east of Hammond, Ind. The engineer was stopped, and only slacked up. On either side of the track stood crowds of men and some of them were at work on the fish plates when the train came along. When the mob saw that its signal was disregarded several of its members drew revolvers and began firing at the trainmen. The shots caused the engineer to open the throttle and the train [illegible] followed by a shower of bullets and stones.

Boquets for Breckinridge

[illegible]

[illegible] Spreading

[illegible]

Diseased Cows Killed

ONEIDA, N Y, July 18—The farmers of this vicinity are greatly agitated by the action of Dr. Pearson [illegible] of Syracuse [illegible] had condemned to death thirty two head of cattle of Oneida Community (limited). Under the direction of the state commissioners he reported his decision after repeated tests for tuberculosis. It is feared that many animals here are afflicted with the disease and there is much alarm among milk producers and consumers.

Testimony of a Nurse and Midwife.

PAVILION, N. Y., May 21, 1885.—"I have had great experience as a nurse and midwife for the last five or six years, and I have never found anything so good as Gilmore's Aromatic Wine; have found it excellent for young ladies arriving at maturity, and also for ladies in the decline or change of life. I recommend it to the afflicted."

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TARIFF CONFERENCE.

The Republican Members of the Committee Present.

ONLY IN SESSION ABOUT AN HOUR

When An Adjournment Was Taken Until This Afternoon—A General Disagreement Likely to be Reported to Both Houses in a Day or Two.

WASHINGTON July 18—The first formulation conference on the tariff bill with all the senate and house members, both Democratic and Republican, present was held yesterday and continued only about an hour. An adjournment was then taken until 2 o'clock this afternoon. The proceedings of the full conference consisted in an effort on the part of the Democratic members to enlighten their Republican colleagues upon the elements of disagreement between the Democratic members of the two houses without revealing the methods by which they have sought to get together or the details of the proceedings of the Democratic conferences.

It had been expected that the Republican conferees would at the outset indulge in some criticism on having been kept out of the conference during its initial stages. But the Republicans had little to say beyond the formal greetings and waited until Senator Voorhees as head of the Democratic conferees made a somewhat formal and full statement of the situation. He said that no discourtesy to the Republicans had been intended. The meetings had not been conference meetings, but had been confined to an effort to bring about some settled policy among the Democratic conferees.

Senator Voorhees added that he was frank to confess that the efforts toward agreement had not proved successful. The features of disagreement were then gone into at considerable length by Mr Voorhees and his associates. They stated that the sugar coal metal and woolen and cotton schedules had been tough bones of contention but did not give particulars in any case except in that of sugar with reference to which they stated that the house members had indicated a willingness to grant some duty on that article but had objected to the differential duty on refined sugar.

On the other articles which had been the basis of disagreement Senator Voorhees and other Democratic members of the conference contented themselves by saying that the Democratic conferees of the two houses had contended each side for its own bill. This had been especially true on the metal and woolen schedules, the senate amendments to which had been strongly opposed to by the Democratic house conferees. They said among other special articles in the metal schedule the house members had held out for free iron ore and for the house rates on lead ore containing silver, cutlery and [illegible]. They had also demanded—as it was reported to the full conference—[illegible]

The [illegible] as to what [illegible]

[illegible]

As a result [illegible] conference it could be reported to both houses within a few days. There was no distinct statement or proposition to this effect, but it appeared to be the only conclusion to be drawn from what had occurred. Senator Aldrich and Mr Reed said there would be no disposition on the part of the Republicans to delay a report of disagreement. At the close of today's meeting Chairman Wilson stated that no exact plan was in view for reporting back to congress.

A Binghamton Baby.

BINGHAMTON, N Y., Sept. 21, 1893.

Dr. Hand's Colic Cure brought a blessing to my house. My baby is eleven weeks old and had the colic since birth every day. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure gave him instant relief and I shall always recommend Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children to all my friends.—Mrs. A. H Gaige, 198 Nestle avenue. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion at all drug stores, 25c

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RIOT AT A BALL GAME

Disgraceful Scene in the Philadelphia Ball Park—Tucker's Jaw Broken.

PHILADELPHIA, July 18—The most disgraceful scene ever witnessed on the baseball grounds in this city, and which finally terminated in a full fledged riot, occurred yesterday in the game between Philadelphia and Boston. The outcome of the whole affair was that Tucker had his jaw bone broken by a blow, and several other Boston players were roughly handled. The game was a close and exciting one from the beginning, and at the end of the seventh inning the score stood 2 to 1 in Boston's favor. At this juncture the weather became threatening.

The home team went in and by hard hitting scored seven runs in the eighth inning. After the seven runs had been scored the Boston players began throwing the ball about the field and jumping out of the way of easy ground hits, evidently playing in the hope that rain would stop the game and give them the victory. Umpire Campbell warned Captain Nash to cease his babyish actions and play ball. Umpire Campbell after waiting a few minutes for the Boston players to proceed with the game gave the home team the victory—9 to 0.

One of the crowd jostled Tucker as he was leaving the field. This was the signal for the riot. Some one in the mob struck Tucker on the left cheek, breaking the bone.

The crowd then turned their attention to the other players, but were dispersed by officers, who escorted the players to their coach. As the coach proceeded down Broad street it was followed by 1000 men and boys who hooted and jeered the players.

William Leonard and Lewis Sailor, two of the crowd who surrounded the Boston players, were arrested and locked up in the station house near the grounds. Both men deny that they had anything to do with the assault on Tucker, and they will probably be released.

Walked Out of Bloomingdale

NEW YORK July 18—Edward T Hartley, the Harlem merchant who has been confined in Bloomingdale asylum since June 1st to await determination as to his insanity walked out of Bloomingdale yesterday. Having helped himself to a key from the pocket of Night Keeper John C Wilson, of that institution, he slipped across the river to Fort Lee where he is staying at Bickhelter's hotel. He talks rationally, laughs at the idea of his being insane and says that his confinement is a piece of oppression because he would not stand in with Tammany Hall. He says he will stay in New Jersey until he gets satisfaction.

Soldiers' Narrow Escape

POND CREEK, O T, July 18—Troop A U S A of Fort Reno under command of Captain Mackey which has been detailed to guard the Rock Island road, missed death at the hands of the Pond Creek train wreckers by less than 200 feet. Two explosions of dynamite occurred within 200 yards of the southern outskirts [illegible] the troops from Enid to [illegible]. One of [illegible]

A [illegible] the New Sultan

[illegible]

Religious Workers in Session

[illegible]

Victims of a Practical Joker

[illegible] plunged [illegible] twenty feet below [illegible] Charles [illegible] drove upon the bridge the horse became frightened and kicked off the bridge throwing all in the water below. Hawley rescued the girl. He went back for her brother and both were drowned. Barnson swam out.

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MINERS TORN TO ATOMS

Two Hundred Sticks of Giant Powder Explodes.

EIGHT MEN REPORTED KILLED.

The Accident Occurred at the Stockton Mine at Hazleton, Pa, and Is the Most Shocking Which Has Ever Taken Place in the Lehigh Coal Fields.

HAZLETON, Pa, July 18.—Another mine disaster occurred at Stockton No 8 yesterday, which in detail is the most shocking which ever took place in the Lehigh coal fields. Two hundred sticks of giant powder exploded in the midst of a gang of miners, and not enough of their bodies was left intact to recognize them.

The names of the victims thus far known are Charles O Donnell, aged 23, married; Andrew Jabol, aged 38, married, John Primbone, aged 22 single, John Koehleda, aged 28, single, Anthony Morcavitz, aged 25, single; John Krinook, aged 25, married, John Motefeski, aged 44, married; John Brizzon, aged 25, single.

Stockton colliery is about one mile east of this city and operated by Linderman & Skeer. The mine is but part of a series of openings which the company operates in the valley, and is surrounded by hamlets in which the miners live. On account of its isolation from the main breaker it has been customary to send the dynamite and other explosives in boxes to No 8 and distribute them to the workmen at the bottom of the second shaft as they appear in the morning on their way to work.

Charles O Donnell had charge of this department and it was his duty to distribute to the company miners and starters the dynamite and caps. The first men to go down into the shaft were the drivers, and these are the only men to return alive from the opening. How many men or who they were who followed in the next boat it is not definitely known, and for this reason the exact number of men killed will not be known until a list of the living is taken.

The drivers went into the stables to harness their mules and it was while thus engaged that the explosion took place. Charles Shugart says he saw about a dozen men standing about O Donnell receiving the powder a moment before the explosion took place.

Rescuing parties were quickly formed, and headed by Superintendent Roderick, a corps of miners descended into the mine. The work of recovering the bodies was at once begun, but it was a difficult task. Fragments of human flesh were found some distance up the slope clinging to the rails and ties and sticking to the roof, while everywhere were bodies and limbs.

The scenes on the surface were heartrending. Mothers, with babes in their arms pressed closely over the mouth of the dark opening and it was finally necessary to rope off the entrance to the slope in order to prevent the frantic women from climbing down the slope and being dashed to death.

Arrangements for bringing the remains to the surface were then made. Orders for ten boxes were given to the undertakers. At the bottom of the slope a different scene was transpiring. [illegible]

Yale Team Banqueted

LONDON, July 18—The Yale athletic team were [illegible] the American [illegible] Ambassador Bayard [illegible] Consul General Patrick Collins, the United States consul general [illegible]. The hall was decorated with the Stars and Stripes and British flags and the [illegible] toasts including [illegible] the President Cleveland. Toasts were responded to by Ambassador Bayard, Sir Richard Webster and others.

New York Policeman in Trouble

NEW YORK, July 18—Jeremiah S Levy, police patrolman who until recently was a ward detective under Captain Cortright, of the Eldridge street station was arrested yesterday afternoon. He is charged with bribery. The warrant for his arrest was issued at the request of Superintendent Byrnes on evidence adduced before the Lexow committee. The sudden arrest of Levy before his indictment by the grand jury is said to have been because he intended to flee the city.

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William Brown, 49 Sprague Ave., "
Wm. Nevins, Argus Office, "
M. H. Dugan, " "
Georgia Morris, 157 Monhagen Ave., "
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A LIVELY CAMPAIGN.

FIGHTING COLONEL BRECKINRIDGE IN THE ASHLAND DISTRICT.

Something About His Democratic Opponents, Owens and Settle—Major McDowell, the Republican Champion, a Descendant of Henry Clay.

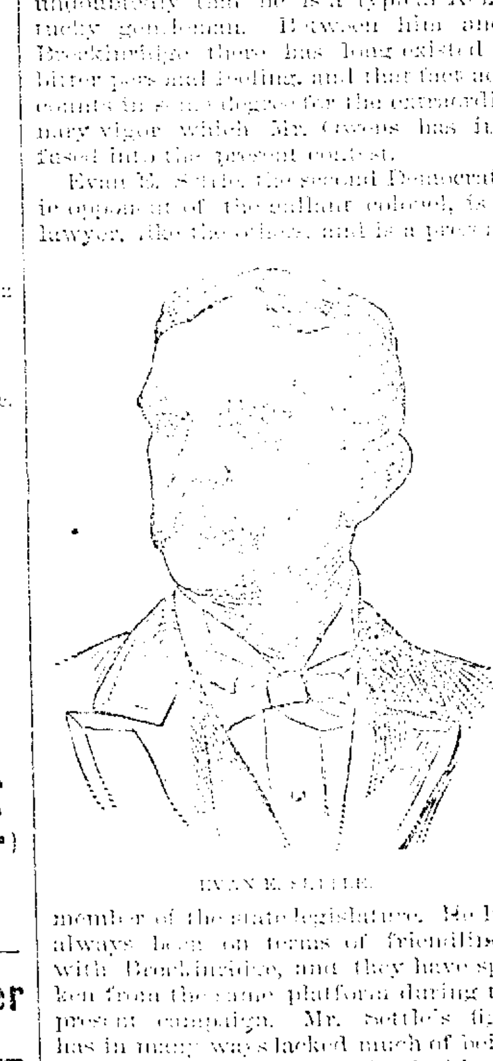
If there was ever a livelier political campaign than that which is now being waged for the congress nomination in that part of old Kentucky that is known as the Ashland district, the American people would like to know about it. Happily, though often predicted since the beginning of hostilities, there has been no shooting as yet. This statement must be made with caution. It is true enough at the date of this writing, but it may not be so when these words meet the reader's eye in cold type, for it takes but a mighty short time to do a lot of very effective shooting, and it is matter for surprise, this year of blood and disaster and reprisals, that the shedding of blood in the Ashland district has been delayed so long.

W. C. OWENS.

The public is well informed regarding the pre-existing facts of the situation—the circumstances, that is, of the legal contest in which he came off second best; that W. C. P. Breckinridge, the sitting member from the Ashland district, had to go through, with Madeline Pollard for an opponent, and the opposition that has developed against him on social purity grounds. The public should also be aware of the fact that down to the present time a Democratic nomination in the Ashland district has been equal to an election; that the battle now raging is for the nomination only, and that it is quite within the bounds of possibility that there may be more than one Democratic nominee this fall. If there is, the fight for the election will doubtless be a harder one than that for the nomination. Colonel Breckinridge's chief opponents in the present fight are Owens and Settle, the first named being perhaps the more prominent of the two.

William C. Owens is a citizen of Georgetown, Ky., a town located about 60 miles from Lexington, the state capital. He is a man who has already made a record as a public official, having served many years in the state legislature and more than one term as speaker of the lower house. Moreover, he is not unknown outside of Kentucky, for at the last national convention of the Democratic party he was made temporary chairman and won praise by the dignified manner with which he acquitted himself on that occasion. He is about 45 years of age, a bachelor, and his family, like the Breckinridge family, is of the blue grass aristocracy. He is a lawyer with a good practice and a liberal income. His personal habits are indicated by those who know him when they speak of him as "a free liver and convivial spirit, but of unsullied reputation." When it is added that he plays as stiff a game of poker as any man in the state, it will be clear to the reader undoubtedly that he is a typical Kentucky gentleman. Between him and Breckinridge there has long existed a bitter personal feeling, and that fact accounts in some degree for the extraordinary vigor which Mr. Owens has infused into the present contest.

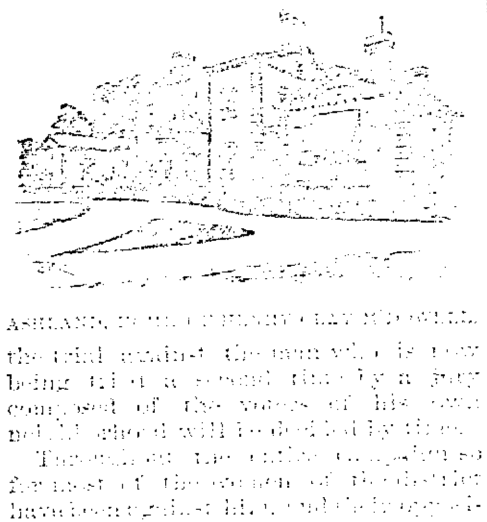
Evan E. Settle, the second Democratic opponent of the gallant colonel, is a lawyer, like the others, and is a present member of the state legislature. He has always been on terms of friendliness with Breckinridge, and they have spoken from the same platform during the present campaign. Mr. Settle's fight has in many ways lacked much of being as vigorous as Mr. Owens'. In his addresses Settle has been so careful in the matter of allusions to the Pollard scandal as to excite serious apprehensions that his canvass is merely a blind in the interests of the colonel. In other words, it is claimed by some Owens men that Settle does not hope to be nominated, but does expect to divide the opposition to Breckinridge's nomination, and so bring about the latter's success. Of course this is indignantly denied by Mr. Settle and his friends, but this denial does not appear to be taken as being greatly significant, because it is a denial and not an admission that would be put forth if the charges were true, and nothing is added to its weight by the fact that Breckinridge's friends are quite as strenuous in voicing the denial as are Settle's.



EVAN E. SETTLE.

Major Henry Clay McDowell is certain, as things look now, to be the Republican nominee—that is, if Breckinridge should succeed in winning the Democratic nomination. Notwithstanding the fact that his political affiliations have not been acceptable to the bulk of the best people of the Ashland district in the past, there are not wanting those who declare that thousands of good Democratic votes would be cast for him in preference to Breckinridge. He is a cousin of the late General Irvin McDowell of the United States army and has the blood of the famous Clay family in his veins, being grandnephew to Henry Clay. His wife is great-granddaughter to the same eminent statesman, and their home is Ashland, the old time estate of the Clay family. Major McDowell is the richest resident of his part of the state, he is recognized as one of the leading citizens by all classes, and Ashland is a social center. His wife's father was the third Clay of the name of Henry and was killed in the Mexican war at the battle of Beuna Vista. The fine old residence at Ashland is furnished expensively and tastefully, and its contents include a remarkably well selected library of rare and valuable books. Major McDowell has never been personally prominent in politics. His ownership of some of the finest blooded horses in Kentucky has, however, made him very well known. Among the famous horses that have been raised on the Ashland estate was the stallion Dictator, sire of some of the fastest trotters in the world, including Phallas, Jay Eye See, Nancy Hanks, etc. So much for the standard bearers in the fight against Colonel Breckinridge. His career and characteristics are too well known to need space here. The fight itself has presented some truly curious phases.

Perhaps one of the most interesting of these has been the publication of a book containing the record made daily of the words and doings of Madeline Pollard by a young woman in the pay of the colonel during the trial of the notorious breach of promise case. It was a piece of [illegible] worthy of [illegible] Breckinridge to hire a woman to worm herself into [illegible] during the [illegible]. It was a [illegible] the book of the times. [illegible] it will serve the [illegible] purpose of commenting the [illegible] of aversion that has manifested itself in some quarters because of the revelations made on the trial against the man who is now being tried a second time by a jury composed of the voters of his own [illegible] will be decided [illegible] by three.



ASHLAND, HOME OF HENRY CLAY M'DOWELL.

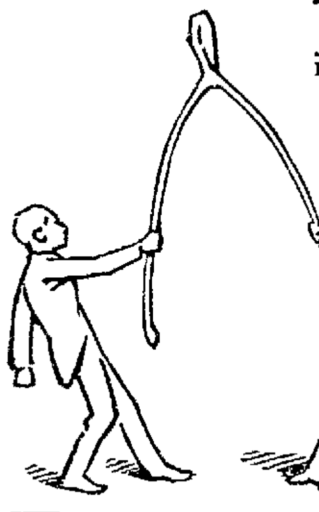
Throughout the entire campaign so far most of the women of the district have been against him, and [illegible] that has not been lessened by the fact that his managers have revived many old scandals concerning members of such families as do not favor his candidacy. In return for these sorties on his part an old scandal of a financial nature, in which he figured as principal, has been raked up against him. In many places flags and banners and transparencies bearing mottoes directly referring to the social significance of the campaign have been displayed, and these have in several instances added greatly to the existing tension. At one place a flag inscribed with the words, "Protect American Womanhood," was torn into small pieces and trampled under foot by the crowd, and this action, so the telegraph states, was participated in by some of the women who were present.

Mr. Owens, like Major McDowell, is something of a turf devotee, and this characteristic is held up as being against both of them among the Methodists and Presbyterians of the district, who are very numerous.

It can be readily seen why the inhabitants of the Ashland district, no matter what their preferences regarding the congressional nomination may be, are already tired of the present campaign. They are a proud people, and the charges and countercharges that have been made and are sure to be made later are likely to implicate some whose standing in society and public life has always been unimpeached till now. Very few of these charges—perhaps none of them—will be proved. In fact, they are and will be of a nature extremely difficult to substantiate. But they will be quite as difficult to disprove and are certain to leave lasting stains, whether true or not.

It is this that excites apprehensions of bloodshed, for with regard to the social honor of the women of his household the Kentuckian has held from time immemorial that the only thing that will wipe out a stain is gore. If shooting once begins, there is no telling where it will end or for how many generations the feuds it engenders will last. The fact that there are yet rising of two months to be lived through before the holding of the Democratic convention—called for Sept. 15—is to be deplored, for that is enough time to work the whole district into a frenzy. The Republican convention will be held on Sept. 26. In the meantime there may be exciting telegrams to the newspapers from the Ashland district "most any day."

HENRY ALLERTON.



What do you Wish for,

in the way of easy work? You can have it, if you'll use Pearline. With anything you can think of, that water doesn't hurt, the easiest way to wash it or to clean it is to take Pearline. You can't do any harm, by doing away with that wearing rub, rub, rub. Besides, with almost everything, there are special reasons why you should use Pearline. For instance: There's no shrink to flannels, if they're properly washed with it.

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"America's Greatest Men and Women."

AMERICA'S GREATEST MEN AND WOMEN.

AMERICA'S GREATEST MEN AND WOMEN.

MR. WILSON TALKS.

MY Name is Wilson; I do an insurance business on LaSalle street, in Chicago Ill., and I live in Evanston, Ill. Evanston is what was originally a scattering population on a pretty point on Lake Michigan, esteemed years ago far from the city of Chicago, but now one of the varied towns which may go within it by vote of the population.

I am married and have a wife and one child. That child is a boy (I suppose I should feel the same solicitude if it was a girl), and I have a father's natural fancies as to what must be the best thing to give that child the right kind of intelligence, and so divert his course that he may succeed in life. I have studied a great deal upon the subject. My own experience would not be of great value, because I have succeeded only to the limit of the average man and am barely established; still, I own the house and lot upon which I live, and am feeling perfectly safe in meeting the exigencies of the year. I want the boy to take a broader view than I did to be a bigger man in the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has done pretty well, as far as the preliminaries go. Now, I have thought over what I should say to him and have sometimes been puzzled. I could not very well tell him what to do. I wanted to tell him what I needed but what I did not learn myself when I was of his age, and what my father did not know how to tell me, or else was not thoughtful enough to do so. I wanted to tell him how to follow the example of those who have succeeded at the present time and under the circumstances which ordinarily affect a young man struggling in this Republic established on this comparatively new world to-day. I wanted to tell him just what he had better do to get along well, and to point out to him what had been done by the people who were successful at the present time.

Of course, the record of the people of any time past would not be of so much value, because circumstances must necessarily have been different when they were alive. I feel confident, though, that if I could learn, some way and somehow, what the people who are so successful to-day have done and how they did it, I could give to my boy such advice as would make his own life at least as far removed from failure as justified by the natural ability he may possess.

I looked around for some authority which I might consult in order to give him the facts most essential with this idea of mine in mind, but I could find none until I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book giving the photographs of all the people who are prominent in America to-day. Here was what I wanted. The book, as I have learned, is going to be published in 16 parts, 16 pages to each, with a recent photograph on each page of some active leading American man or woman of to-day, while underneath appears the story of that same person's life—the story telling what that person did, and how the ends attained were eventually accomplished. Here was what I wanted; here was what I needed in various ways; here was what I was certainly seeking in order to obtain the information with which to educate my boy and secure for him that knowledge which will give him a source of thought and make him prominent in the world.

I have the first sheets of this work. It is a graphic story of America's Greatest Men and Women, told in each instance on a single page underneath a photograph of recent date, which conveys to the eye an idea of what that person is. To me the photograph tells even more than the suggestive record beneath; and yet it is odd how in each instance the correct story corresponds with the expression upon the face which is reproduced in the portrait above. I do not know how the series will end. I know very little about this new feature of the newspaper people; I know nothing about the publishers and their expectations, but I do know this: that if the series so begun should be continued to its practical, ordinary good sense end—and I don't care whether that will include 200 or 700 of America's Greatest Men and Women, which is the title of the book—I do know this, that for the ordinary, active and alert business man—I will certainly say far more for the student or the literary man, or the politician or the statesman—for all these I will say it will be simply the most valuable and the most remarkable book produced in modern history. The wonder is that some one has not thought of it before. Yet no one seems to have done so since the days of Plutarch. Plutarch knew something. That shrewd old fellow knew that all who would get out of the drift, all who would accomplish great things, wanted to know every detail of the lives of those who had better luck or more courage or a broader brain than their fellows; but I am no authority on these points. I only know that there is produced a second Plutarch's Lives, that its biographies are shrewd, graphic and curt, and written without bias and without prejudice. I only know that there was a Plutarch—God bless the old fellow—and that there is this modern work.

This is the work I am going to give to my boy. I am going to make him read it thoroughly. The work is announced as consisting of 16 Parts, with 16 pages and 16 photographs in each part, and when bound, the whole series will make a great volume of 256 pages, the like of which has never been equaled. It is the story of the personal character of the men and women who are making the nation's history at this particular time. What a work this is! Do you imagine that I would miss it for my boy, or, incidentally, for myself?

You Can Get This Work Only Through the Daily Argus and Mercury.

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IN EVERY ISSUE OF THE ARGUS AND MERCURY will appear a numbered coupon. Cut this coupon out and bring or forward it, together with TEN CENTS, to the Coupon Department of the ARGUS and MERCURY and there will be delivered or mailed to you one number of the series as above. The remaining parts can be obtained as issued, one each week, by the readers of the ARGUS and MERCURY under the same conditions.

(PARTS 14 AND 15 NOW READY.)

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

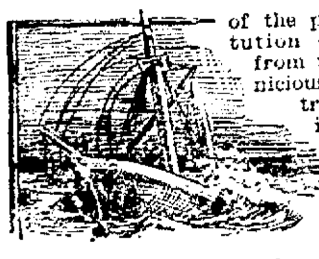
Interest Accounts.

Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum.

By order Board of Directors.

SEYMOUR DEWITT, Cashier.

A WRECK



of the physical constitution often comes from unnatural, pernicious habits, contracted through ignorance or from excesses. Such habits result in loss of manly power, nervous exhaustion, nervous debility, impaired memory, low spirits, irritable temper, and a thousand and one derangements of mind and body. Epilepsy, paralysis, softening of the brain and even dread insanity sometimes result from such reckless self-abuse.

To reach, reclaim and restore such unfortunates to health and happiness, is the aim of the publishers of a book written in plain but chaste language, on the nature, symptoms and curability, by home treatment, of such diseases. This book will be sent sealed, in plain envelope, on receipt of ten cents in stamps to pay postage.

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LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shops.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy and Houston avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown station beginning June 17th, '94, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y., L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

EAST BOUND.

No.	JAMES ST.	MAIN ST.
12, Chicago Express	4:20 a. m.	
[illegible], Buffalo Express	6:01	"
26, Middletown Way, T.	6:24	" 6:25 a. m.
16, Orange Co., G. M.	7:10	" 7:12
24, Mountain Express	8:23	" 8:25
[illegible], Del Valley Ex., G. M. P.	10:[illegible]	"
[illegible], Way Mail, G (ex. Sunday)	12:[illegible] p. m.	
[illegible], Chicago Express	[illegible]	"
30, Way, M. P. G. T.	4:[illegible]	" 4:[illegible] p. m.
[illegible], Chicago Limited	7:12	"
[illegible], Milk	[illegible]	"
[illegible], Wells-Fargo Express	10:[illegible]	"
[illegible], Pt. Jervis Local (Sun. only)	[illegible] a. m.	8:15 a. m.
[illegible], Port Jervis Local	7:15 p. m.	
[illegible], M. & C. Branch, arrive		8:10 a. m.
[illegible], M. & C. Branch, arrive		[illegible] p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No.	JAMES ST.	MAIN ST.
[illegible], Milk	7:27 a. m.	
[illegible], Port Jervis Way	10:[illegible]	" 10:[illegible] a. m.
[illegible], Day Express	[illegible]	"
[illegible], Port Jervis Local	[illegible] p. m.	[illegible] p. m.
[illegible], Port Jervis Local	[illegible]	" [illegible] "
[illegible], Chicago Limited	[illegible]	"
[illegible], Mountain Express	[illegible]	" [illegible] "
[illegible], Orange County	[illegible]	" [illegible] "
[illegible], Middletown Way, arrives	[illegible]	" 7:[illegible] "
[illegible], O. & G. T. Express	[illegible]	"
[illegible], [illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible], Chicago Express	11:[illegible]	"
[illegible], Pt. Jervis Way (Sun. only)	10:[illegible] a. m.	10:[illegible] a. m.
[illegible], " " "	[illegible] p. m.	[illegible] p. m.
[illegible], " " "	[illegible]	"
[illegible], M. & C. Branch train	11:[illegible] a. m.	11:[illegible] a. m.
[illegible], " " "		[illegible] p. m.

Trains marked with a * run daily. Trains Nos. [illegible] run Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. [illegible] with Newburgh Branch [illegible] "T" with Newburgh Short Cut Branch, via Turners; "M" with Montgomery Branch; "P" with Pine Island Branch.

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at [illegible] a. m., [illegible] p. m. Sundays only [illegible] p. m.

N. Y., O. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE.

NORTH BOUND.

Milk	[illegible] a. m.
Day Express	[illegible]
Mountain Express	[illegible] p. m.
Saturday only	[illegible] "
Sullivan County Express	[illegible] "
Ulster County Express	[illegible] "
Pacific Express	10:[illegible] "

SOUTH BOUND.

Atlantic Express	[illegible] a. m.
Norwich Express	[illegible] "
No. 8	[illegible] "
Mountain Express	[illegible] p. m.
Day Express	[illegible] "
No. 12	6:35 "
Sunday Special	6:50 "

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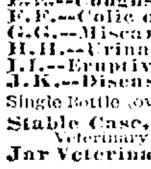

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Casino Theatre Co.

Where the Casino Chart Can Be Found

The chart for the advance sale of tickets for the Casino Theatre will hereafter be found at Tuthill's pharmacy, 97 James street. dt

THE ERIE FEDERATION.

Proposed Federation of Erie Employes —Members of the Railway Union Barred from Membership.

From the Hornellsville Times.

It is reported that the Order of Railway Conductors, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and Order of Railway Telegraphers on the Erie system, which comprises all leased lines and branches operated by the Erie Company, have formed themselves into a federation, through their General Grievance Committee, composed of J. F. McConnell, of Youngstown, O., for the conductors; M. H. Shay, of Youngstown, for the engineers; F. Geer, of Cleveland, for the firemen; F. W. Powers, of Galion, O., for the trainmen, and A. L. Taylor, of Leavitsburg, O., for the operators, at a meeting held in Buffalo, on Tuesday of this week. Mr. Taylor was chosen chairman of the Board of Federation, and Mr. Powers was chosen secretary. The above representatives are the chairmen of the committees of the various orders, with which the employes in the different branches of the service are identified.

No man identified with the American Railway Union is eligible to membership in the Federation, as it is not in sympathy with that organization or its leaders in the recent strike.

By the new arrangement of federation there can be no outside interference with men employed on the Erie system. If a member of a brotherhood has a grievance he is required to take it before his brotherhood first. An investigation is made and if there is no ground for the grievance it will be dropped, but if there is a just cause for grievance the brotherhood officers will take the matter up and do what they can to settle it. If they should fail to settle the matter it will be taken before the Board of Adjustment of the system of federation, who will in turn take it up and see what can be done. Thus an appeal by the subordinate brotherhood to the chief is obviated.

AFTER MANY MONTHS.

Long Lost Horses Recovered by Their Owners.

In September last two horses, the property of Dr. P. S. Kinne and Robt. Thorne, of Paterson, were stolen from a farm near that city, on which they were being pastured. Diligent search revealed no clue to the whereabouts of the horses and they were given up for good. A few days ago, however, a Paterson colored man thought he recognized Dr. Kinne's horse in the street and investigation showed that the animal in question had been driven to the city from a Montclair livery stable. Dr. Kinne visited the stable and identified the horse as his property. Mr. Thorne's horse was also found in the same stable and both were reclaimed by their owners. They had been hacked daily and were in bad shape.

OLDEST HORSE IN ORANGE COUNTY.

Thirty Years of Age and Still Able to Do a Good Day's Work,

The Circleville correspondent of the *Independent Republican* writes that paper as follows: "Mr. W. H. Larue, near here, has a horse that was thirty years old July 4th. She was raised by the late Alfred D. Hurtin, and when Mr. Larue bought the farm he bought Flora; hence she has never had any other home. She is full of life and enjoys a run as well as in her younger days. She was shod about one year ago, and this year Ezra has been driving her before the mowing machine to do all the mowing. She has lost none of her ambition, although she tires out soon, but seems good for a few years yet."

THE PRESIDENT COMING TO MIDDLETOWN.

The Sick May Receive Medical Services Free of Charge.

The President and members of the European and American Staff of German, English, Irish, Scandinavian and American Doctors of New York city will be at the Russell House, Middletown, on

Tuesday, July 24th,

one day only. The sick and afflicted may consult them without charge during their stay.

If you are incurable they will tell you; therefore invalids must not take offence if they are rejected, as no case will be accepted unless there is a moral certainty of a cure being effected. These Doctors are graduates of the best universities of Europe and America; they are of the highest standing in the medical profession and have had unlimited experience in the treatment of all Chronic Diseases and Deformities. As the latest methods, instruments and appliances of the various schools of both the Old and the New World are familiar to and at the command of this staff of doctors, it is reasonable to believe that in ninety cases out of every hundred a cure can be effected, even when the patients have been given up as incurable by doctors who have had less experience. Do not be discouraged because your doctor cannot give you relief, or even if he tells you that you cannot get well, for it matters not what your disease may be, you can consult the doctors free, and, if curable, they will treat you; if incurable, they will give you such advice as will tend to prolong life and afford you the greatest relief.

The doctor will visit Middletown one day each month Office hours from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m.

STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations of the New York and Philadelphia Exchanges.

NEW YORK, July 17.—The movement of the stock market was distinctly favorable at the opening, but towards noon the rising tendency was checked by reports of tariff disagreement. Closing bids:

Lehigh Valley	37	W N. Y. & Pa	—
Pennsylvania	48⅝	Erie	14⅛
Reading	17¾	D. L. & W	164
St. Paul	60	West Shore	103
Lehigh Nav	50¼	N Y Central	97¾
N. Y. & N E	8¾	Lake Erie & W	15⅝
New Jersey Cen	106¼	Del & Hudson	130⅛

General Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, July 17.—Flour quiet, steady; winter super., $2.10@2 25; do. extras, $2 25 @2.40; No 2 winter family, $2 40@2 60; state roller straight, $2.70@2 85; western winter clear, $2.50@2.75 Wheat weak lower, with 57⅜c. bid and 57⅝c. asked for July Corn dull, with 47¾c. bid and 48⅛c. asked for July Oats dull, unsettled, with 46c bid and 48c. asked for July. Beef quiet; family, $9; extra mess, $8@8 50; beef hams, $21; city extra, $16@18 Pork firm. Lard steady; western steam, $7.30; city, $6.75 Butter quiet; western dairy, 10@14c; do creamery, 13@17c; do factory, 9½@14c.; Elgins, 17c.; New York dairy, 12@17c.; do creamery, 14½@17c.; Pennsylvania creamery prints, fancy, 21c.; do. choice, 20c.; do. fair to good, 18@19c; prints jobbing at 22@25c Cheese active; New York large, 7½@9½c.; small, 7½@8½c; part skims, 2½@5½c.; full skims, 1½@2c. Eggs steady; New York and Pennsylvania, 12@12½c; western fresh 11@11½c; cases, $1@2 50.

Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, July 17—Beeves firm; European cables quote American steers at 9½@10c. per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 5½@7¼c. Calves firm; veals, poor to choice, $4.50 @4 75 per 100 lbs; good to prime buttermilk calves, $2 25@2 50 Sheep and lambs barely steady; good to choice lambs, ¼c per lb higher; poor to fair sheep, $2.50@3.50; common to choice lambs, $3 25@5.70 Hogs higher; inferior to choice, $5 25@5 70.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., July 18.—Cattle in fair demand; prime, $4 35@4 50; good, $3 80@4 10; fair light steers, $2 25@2 75. Hogs shade higher; Philadelphias, $5 30@5 35; best Yorkers, $5 20@5 25, common to fair Yorkers, $5@5.10 Sheep fair at unchanged prices

French Deputies Excited.

PARIS, July 18—It is stated that the cabinet will make the press bill a question of confidence in the government The Radical newspapers continue to make a fierce opposition to this measure, and M. Drumont, editor of the anti-Semitic organ, ~~The Libre Parole, has fled to~~ Belgium rather than face the new law. Mr. Drummond predicts that the passage of the press bill will be speedily followed by a revolution.

Three Girls Drowned.

NANAIMO, B C July 18—News has been received from Albernio of the drowning of three girls while bathing in Sproat lake They were Emma Faber, aged 20; Mary Faber aged 18 and Dorothy Faber, aged 4

Twenty-eight Drowned.

ST PETERSBURG, July 18—The river steamers Nishegorodsetz and Dobrovolet came in collision between Perm and Kasan, and the Dobrovoletz was sunk Twenty eight persons were drowned.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

Forest fires burned the town of Partridge, Minn.

The president yesterday signed the Utah statehood bill

Baron Beyers, the Belgian minister to France, is dead

Dr Joseph Hyrtl, the distinguished anatomist, died in Vienna aged 83 years.

Charley Sweeney, once the king of baseball pitchers shot and killed Con McManus in a saloon row at San Francisco.

Herr Fricke, an operatic artist who married the widow of one of the Steinways, the piano manufacturers, died in London.

The president yesterday nominated J R Jackson, of New Hampshire, to be consul of the United States at Sherbrooke, Quebec

Prince Henry of Bourbon, Duke of Seville, is dead His death occurred during a voyage from the Philippine islands to Barcelona.

No Strike Commission Just Yet.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—It is understood that the selection of the commissioners to investigate the late strike was under discussion by the cabinet yesterday, but so far there are no open indications of speedy action in the matter. One explanation for the delay is probably to be found in the belief by the president that the labor leaders have not yet completely met the condition he imposed as precedent to the appointment of a commission, for the reports that come to hand daily show that lawlessness and obstruction still exist in many places in the west.

Imprisoned in Mid Air.

CHICAGO, July 18—Five men spent a day and night on the Halstead street lift bridge, suspended 160 feet in mid air. The mechanism of the bridge suddenly became broken and the men, unable to get off, were carried upward with the bridge Food and water were hoisted to the bridge and the prisoners made themselves as comfortable as possible until the damage was repaired and they were released from their perilous position

Wreck on the Lehigh Valley.

EASTON, Pa., July 18.—A bad wreck occurred on the Lehigh Valley railroad at Kennedy, N J, five miles from here A freight train bound east ran into a gravel train, causing cars to pile up on both tracks Later a west bound mixed train ran into the wreck Samuel Elkenson, engineer, Robert Cline, fireman, and Nathan Derr, brakeman, were all seriously injured.

Labor Agitators Held for Trial.

NEW ORLEANS, July 18.—Labor Agitators Hurley, Harrison and Sperry were committed for trial before the United States circuit court by United States Commissioner Wright. The accused men were placed under $500 bond each and personal recognizance taken.

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Insane from Overwork.

SYRACUSE, N Y, July 18—Elmer Hutchins, [illegible] years old, who graduated with honors [illegible] class of '94, Syracuse university has [illegible] declared insane, and was taken to the state insane asylum at Ogdensburg. He has been ailing for some time Overwork is thought to be the cause of his condition, and it is thought he will recover

Steamboats in Collision.

NEW YORK, July 18—In a dense fog the steamboat Cetus, of the Iron Steamboat line, collided with the Cepheus, of the same line, yesterday afternoon, just off Coney Island Point The bow of the Cetus made a deep hole in the vessel's hull Two hundred passengers were on the Cepheus, but all were safely put on the Cetus.

Minneapolis' Official Record.

WASHINGTON, July 18—After making allowances for the tides and currents the average speed made by the new cruiser Minneapolis on her trial trip was 23.073 knots an hour The contractors, therefore, will receive a bonus of $414,600, the largest ever earned by a vessel.

Death of a Venerable Marksman.

NORRISTOWN, Pa, July 18—Alfred Felten, aged 77 years, a member of the Montgomery Gun club and a man of national reputation among crack shots, dropped dead at Hartranft Station, near here He won more prizes than any of the crack shots of this state

A Strike Leader Surrenders.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., July 18.—John Calderwood, president of the miners' union at Cripple Creek, has surrendered to Sheriff Brisbin He was admitted to bail in the sum of $500. He is charged with riot, murder, etc

Fatally Injured by an Electric Car.

SARATOGA, July 18—The young daughter of John Ryddell, of St Augustine, Fla., was last evening run over and fatally injured by an electric motor car.

Army Worm Scourge.

MARSHFIELD, Wis., July 18.—Thousands of dollars worth of damage is being done daily by the ravages of the army worm in this and adjoining counties and from every source comes intelligence of increasing destruction to crops. The hay cut and placed in barns is full of them and farmers are afraid to feed it to stock. It is by far the worst scourge that has ever visited this portion of the state.

Hanged Himself with a Bridle.

PADUCAH, Ky., July 18.—W. L. Corbett, better known as "Letch" Corbett, committed suicide by hanging himself to a beam in his barn loft with a bridle. Corbett was a commercial traveler for one of the largest clothing establishments in Cincinnati. He was a prominent member of the Travelers' Protective association and well insured.

Suicide Ends a Spree.

ST LOUIS, July 18.—Christy Church, aged 32, one of the best known young society men of this city, wound up a spree last night by shooting himself through the left lung while in a room at the Southern hotel He was treasurer of the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. and a member of the St. Louis club and several local organizations. He left a widow and child.

Pension Agent Fined.

TRENTON, July 18.—Jesse Hansee, aged 72 years, a well known pension agent of Hoboken, was fined $500 in the United States court, having been convicted of receiving $10 in excess of the legal fee in obtaining a pension for Mrs. Mary Raven.

Died of Lockjaw.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., July 18.—Professor O. G. Weilman, of Sibley college, Cornell, died here of lockjaw, brought on by a wound received July 4 from the premature discharge of a cannon.

A Dynamite Outrage in Montana.

MISSOULA, Mont., July 18.—An east bound Northern Pacific train, the first in sixteen days, was wrecked at a point about two miles east of here by a dynamite cartridge concealed in the track, the shock shattering the engine. It also broke the windows of the cab and mail car. The strikers denounce the outrage. A trestle 100 feet long, three miles west of here, and one 150 feet long on the Couer D'Alene branch were burned.

A Singular Mishap.

CHESTER, Pa., July 18.—While squaring posts on the farm of the Sisters of St. Francis, near Chelsea, Frederick Smith, of that place, fell or was hit with the ax, which entered his body below the breast bone and cut a great gash. Dr Dickinson found that the ax had entered the young man's lung, and that he was in a dangerous condition.

Japanese Soldiers Attack a British Consul.

SHANGHAI, July 18.—A dispatch received here from Seoul reports that Japanese soldiers have assaulted the British consul at that place and his wife, and that thirty British blue jackets have been landed to guard the British legation.

Surrendered Its Charter.

READING, Pa, July 18—The Trainmen's Brotherhood lodge of this city has given up its charter, and Philadelphia and Reading employes who belonged and have been discharged will be reinstated in their old places by the company.

Katie Rupp's Slayer to Die.

JERSEY CITY, July 18—Bernard Altenberger, the convicted murderer of Katie Rupp, was arraigned before Presiding Judge Lippincott and Lay Judge Kenney in the Hudson court, and sentenced to be hanged on Sept 6

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BIG STORIES, NOT WINNINGS.

Exaggerated Reports of Amounts Lost and Won at the Race Track.

One reason for the great popularity of racing among men who know nothing about the sport is the extraordinary fortunes which people are supposed to make in the course of 15 or 20 minutes by betting on horses which have a long price marked opposite their names. The racing editors of several of the morning papers are exceedingly careful in noting the winnings and losses of prominent men on the turf when they are worthy of comment, but this is not true of all the men who sit in the reporters' stand at the tracks.

Every year some particular man is picked out, and the stories of his winnings are mentioned day after day quite as a matter of course, but never with any real notion of the actual facts of the case. McCafferty, for instance, is commonly credited by the papers with having landed between $50,000 and $60,000 on a single race this week, and a few days before it was solemnly announced in the papers that "Pittsburg Phil" had a rather bad two days' racing, but having landed $55,000 on Candelabra he was feeling more comfortable.

Such winnings as these are noted usually as a matter of course in the shape of a footnote or some small item of news of the track.

The inconsistency of these statements is apparent sometimes, even to people who have no knowledge of racing. When McCafferty rode Rough and Ready, for instance, the price was 50 to 1, and it was stated that McCafferty bet $5,000 of his own and his partner's money on his mount. Of course it would be impossible to place such an enormous sum of money on an outside horse, as the bookmakers are too sharp to be caught napping that way.

But, assuming that the story is true and that McCafferty had bet that amount of money, his winnings would have amounted to $250,000 on that particular race. People who imagine that the bookmakers at Sheepshead Bay can pay out $250,000 on a single overnight race have a lofty opinion of the financial stability of the ring. It is curious to note how persistently this exaggeration is practiced, since it is apparent to all racegoers that such enormous winnings are entirely imaginary.—New York Sun.

TO MEND HIS BROKEN NECK.

A Young Philadelphian Under Treatment at the Flower Hospital.

A novel mode of treatment in an attempt to relieve a young man of the effects of breaking his neck is being tried at the Flower hospital. The patient is enveloped in a plaster cast from the waist up, nothing but his face being left bare. This is to prevent the slightest movement of the head or neck while the muscles and bones are adjusting themselves to their normal relations.

The subject of the treatment is George Menge, 19 years old, of Philadelphia. Last January, while he was exercising in a gymnasium, he fell from the horizontal bar, striking on the back of his head. The physician who was called in said the muscles of the neck were sprained, but after two weeks in bed Menge, although able to sit up, could not raise his head except by using his hands. When his head was unsupported, it fell forward on his breast. As he had not recovered at the end of seven weeks, he was sent to the Pennsylvania hospital in Philadelphia, where an examination showed that his neck was broken. An instrument was attached to his head to hold it in place, but no improvement resulted.

Three weeks ago Menge started for the Catskills, intending to return to Philadelphia later for further treatment, but while staying with some friends in Brooklyn he was persuaded to put himself under the care of Dr. William Tod Helmuth at the Flower hospital. The plaster cast will be kept upon Menge until his recovery, of which the surgeons are very hopeful, or until the experiment is seen to be a failure. If successful, the patient will still be able to get about with his head in a brace. —New York Letter.

VULGAR THIEVES.

Suspicion That There Are Such Among the Selects of British Aristocracy.

The gratifying announcement is made, says a London correspondent, that "nothing was missed" after the great garden party given by the Duke of Saxe-Coburg at Clarence House, at which a dozen princes and the whole fashionable world were present. One would have thought the announcement scarcely necessary, but it seems that some guests at these royal gatherings are accustomed to appropriate spoons, forks and such like trifles as souvenirs. This is not theft, but loyal enthusiasm.

The same explanation of the disappearance of private property at the state ball given at Buckingham palace by command of the queen seems scarcely applicable. The royal plate was found to be intact, but quite a considerable number of ladies lost brooches, bracelets and the like. The missing jewelry was diligently sought for by the ballroom sweepers, supervised by court officers, next morning, and one or two small things were found, but all the really valuable articles are still unaccounted for.

Only two explanations, both saddening and humiliating, are forthcoming. One is that there are vulgar thieves in the British aristocracy. The other is that professional robbers, disguised as dukes or duchesses or what not, gained admission to the sacred precincts of Buckingham palace.

Cincinnati a Drinking Community.

"How many small pocket flasks do you suppose are used in this city in a year?" said a wholesale bottle man.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 18, 1894.

The Vigilant is doing better since her sail area was reduced or perhaps she takes more kindly to Irish waters than she did to those of Scotland.

"Debs tied up now" is the very effective line with which the New York *Recorder* heads its account of yesterday's proceedings that resulted in placing the ex strike leader behind the bars.

The State Comptroller has begun mandamus proceedings against Comptroller Fitch, of New York city, to compel the payment by the city of $608,279.07, its share of the State Care tax. This action on the part of the State Comptroller was expected and desired by the city authorities, who wish to test the constitutionality of the law, which compels the city to pay part of the cost of supporting the pauper and dependent insane from the other counties of the State, while paying all the cost of maintaining its own insane.

The Senate, yesterday, inserted in the Agricultural Appropriation bill an amendment appropriating $1,000,000 for the destruction of the Russian thistle, which is tormenting the farmers of the frontier States. The Senators from those States were all hot foot to have the federal government go into the business of grubbing thistles and were able to persuade a majority of the Senators that it was the proper thing. Amendments to have part of the $1,000,000 spent in exterminating the cockle burr, Canadian thistle and other weeds were voted down, the Senators drawing the line at the Russian thistle, as the only weed worthy of the attention of the federal government.

Attorney General Olney has authorized the United States District Attorney in Los Angeles, Cal., to institute proceedings against the Southern Pacific railroad and its consolidated companies, for not complying with the requirements of the Interstate Commerce Act in running its trains. This is as it should be. No distinction can be made between corporations and their employes, and if the law is interpreted so as to apply to employes who combine to restrain trade and commerce between the several States, it must also be enforced against the railroad companies, whose acts of omission and commission against the public interest, the makers of the bill intended to reach when they enacted it into law.

The Democratic members of the Conference Committee on the Tariff bill called in the Republican members, yesterday, and although it was not officially decided to report that they had been unable to agree, it is expected that a disagreement will be reported to-morrow. The principal points of difference between the House and Senate conferees are on sugar, coal, iron ore, silver-lead ore, and the woolen, cotton and hemp schedules. The House conferees stand staunchly for the Wilson bill, because they know it comes much nearer the fulfillment of Democratic promises than does the Senate bill. The Senate conferees stand for the Senate bill because Gorman and his fellow conservatives keep whispering to them that it must be the Senate bill or no tariff bill.

Although the House conferees are backed in their position by the Democratic sentiment of the country and by the moral support of the administration the weakness of their position is that all Democratic Representatives keenly realize that the only hope of Democratic success in this fall's congressional election is in an early settlement of the tariff question. If the tariff bill fails, the Democrats will go before the people hopelessly discredited and doomed to certain and merited defeat. Therefore it is that many Democratic Representatives, who hope for re-election, are clamorous for an agreement on any terms and there are indications that if it comes to the final test, many Democratic Representatives, perhaps a majority of them, will accept the Senate bill, objectionable as it is, rather than risk the failure of tariff legislation.

Pension Agent Hansee Fined.

Jesse C. Hansee, formerly of Ellenville, who has been engaged in the pension business in Hoboken and who was recently convicted of charging a fee in excess of the legal rate, was fined $500, yesterday, in the United States Court at Trenton. There are other similar indictments against him.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

TO OPEN THE PACIFIC ROADS.

Regulars Sent to Cheyenne, Ogden and Other Places on the Lines.

By United Press.

BUTTE, July 18.—The Union Pacific and Northern Pacific roads will move trains soon, sufficient regulars having arrived. Several bridges have been burned or destroyed by dynamite near here.

OMAHA, July 18.—More U. S. troops have been sent to Cheyenne and Ogden. This is regarded as a new move to control the strikers in the west.

STRIKE LEADERS' LIFE IN JAIL.

Debs Receives Many Callers—Offers of Bail Refused

By United Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 18.—Debs and other imprisoned strike leaders passed a pleasant and comfortable night in jail and ate a hearty breakfast. Debs devoted part of the morning to answering correspondence and talking with relatives and friends who visited him.

There will be no meeting of the Executive Committee of the strikers until the leaders are liberated. Several offers of bail were made, to-day, and refused

The leaders thus far have refused to avail themselves of the privilege accorded by the court to leave the jail in charge of deputies.

BANQUETED IN THE JAIL YARD.

Four Strikers Convicted of Complicity in the Murder of an Engineer, Honored Before Going to Prrson,

By United Press.

BRAZIL, Ind., July 18.—The four strikers, who were convicted of complicity in the murder of a Vandalia engineer, sentenced to two years imprisonment each, and who were about to be taken to State's prison were banqueted, last night, in the jail yard here, by the Sheriff's permission, by friends and relatives.

NO AGREEMENT ON THE TARIF BILL.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, July 18,—The Conference Committee on the tariff bill has agreed to report, to-morrow, to the House and Senate that it is unable to agree.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS IN THE SOUTH-WEST,

By United Press.

ST LOUIS, July 18—A slight shock of earthquake was felt here, to-day.

MEMPHIS, July 18.—Three earthquake shocks were felt here, this morning.

BURNED AT SEA.

A Bark Which Left New York. Yesterday, Bound for China, Burned Off Fire Island,

By United Press.

NEW YORK, July 17.—The Bark Emma T. Crewell, which left, yesterday, for Shanghai, was discovered to be on fire, last evening, off Fire Island. She burned to the water's edge. The captain, his wife and the crew escaped in a small boat and were picked up and brought here.

Farmers' Alliance Boycotts a Railroad.

By United Press

FORT SCOTT, July 18—The Farmers' Alliance, of Bourbon county, has decided to boycott the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis road for bringing deputies into the city.

WOLF PIT, N. J.

Y. M. C. A. at Unionville—A Busy Reaper—Hard Working Farmers—Persona Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY

—The meeting of the Y. M. C. A. from Middletown held in the Presbyterian Church, Unionville, last Sunday evening, was attended by many from here. There was not a single dull part in the entire service, and no one could help being pleased with it.

—Benjamin Hait is doing quite an extensive business in the reaping line. He reaped, last week, over fifty acres of rye.

—No locusts have been seen in this vicinity.

—Jacob Stage, of New York city, is the guest of his uncle, Lewis Stage, of this place.

—Lulu Stage, of New York city, is spending the summer months with her parents.

—Charley Post, of Coleville, is rusticating for a few weeks at the home of his friend, Fred Hait, in this place.

—If any one is of the opinion that the farmers have easy times it would be a good plan for such a person to visit a farmer at this time of year. From 4 o'clock in the morning until it is too dark to work you will find him busy gathering hay and grain for the winter's use.

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At a meeting of the directors, this afternoon, the following officers were chosen: President, J. R. VanDuzer; Vice-President, Norwood Hartley; Secretary and Treasurer, C. L. Merritt; Superintendent, John Hartley.

The Messrs. Hartley are both practical silk manufacturers and have had many years' experience in the business. They have owned and operated the mill at Monroe for a number of years and the business there has been very successful. Owing to the difficulty of obtaining sufficient help in Monroe and to secure better facilities for business and increased capital, they decided to remove the factory to Middletown and after a thorough investigation of the business of the factory Messrs. VanDuzer and Merritt decided that the present condition and future prospects of the concern were good enough to warrant them in identifying themselves with it.

The machinery now in the factory at Monroe will be removed to this city at once and placed in position in McMonagle & Rogers' building on Union street, the elevator factory, which has been leased by the new company.

Manufacturing will be commenced at once, with a force of about forty hands, some of whom will be brought here from Monroe. The new company has ample capital and it is the intention of its officers to increase the business of the factory as rapidly as the condition of its trade will warrant. The factory will be run exclusively on broad silks.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

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Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

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Sugar	102¼	99⅝	102¼
A. T & S. F.	5	4⅝	4¾
C. B. & Q.	76⅛	75¾	75⅞
Chicago Gas	75⅛	74⅝	75
D. L. & W.	163½	163½	163½
Dis. & Cat. F.	20	19	19½
Erie	14¼	14¼	14¼
General Electric	36⅝	36⅛	36⅛
L. & N.	46⅛	45¾	46⅛
L. S.	130½	130½	130½
M. P.	27¼	26¾	27
N Y. & N. E.	—	—	—
N. Y. C.	98	97¾	97⅞
N. W.	—	—	—
N. P. Pfd.	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
O & W.	15¼	15	15
Nat. Lead	38	37¾	38
R. T.	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜
P. & R.	17¾	17½	17¾
R. I.	67⅞	67½	67⅞
C. M. & St. P.	60	59¾	60
U. P.	10¾	10⅞	10½
W. Union	85⅛	84¾	85⅛
U S. Cordage	21¼	21	21¼
Manhattan	116½	116	116
Sept. Wheat	57⅛	56⅛	56¼
Sept. Corn	43½	43½	43¼
Sept. Oats	29¾	27¾	27⅞
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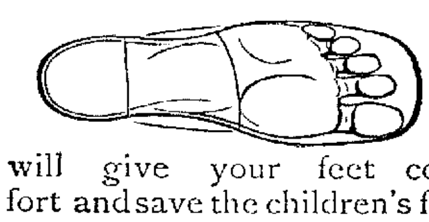

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Canvas Dress Facing 14c. a yard, was 20c.

Cambric Dress Lining 3c. a yard, was 5c.

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DAILY ARGUS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—Fair, southerly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:

7 a. m., 72°; 12 m., 86°; 3 p. m., 90°.

AMUSEMENTS AND RECREATIONS.

—July 18—St. Joseph's I. C. B. U., at Mænnerchor Park.

—July 21—Ironsides vs. Asylums, at Hospital grounds.

—July 22—Lecture by Prof. L. F. Gardner, at Assembly Rooms.

—July 25—Wheelmen's race meet, at Campbell track.

—July 26—Excursion to New York, Coney Island and Buffalo Bill's Wild West show, via N. Y., L. E. & W. Railroad.

—Aug 1—Cooperstown vs. Asylums, on Hospital grounds

—Aug. 6—Cuban Giants vs Asylums, on Hospital grounds.

—Aug. 12—Lecture by Rev. Lyman Ward, at Assembly Rooms.

—Aug. 15—Twenty-eighth annual picnic of Middletown Division, No. 1, A. O. H., at Mænnerchor Park.

—Aug 16—Annual clam bake of Millard Division, O R C. at Livingston Manor.

—Aug. 21 24—Middletown Horsemen's Association races, at Campbell track.

—Aug 26—Lecture by Rev. J. D. Crosby, at Assembly Rooms.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—Perfection Trousers Press $1 25 at Wolf & Klohs'.

—Corsets, wrappers and shirt waists cheap at Geo. B. Adams & Co's.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—St. Joseph's Society picnic at Mannerchor Park, to-night.

—The Cuban Giants, yesterday, defeated the Hamburgs in a score of 11 to 5.

—Monhagens are negotiating with the Susquehanna band to accompany them on their trip to Scranton.

—A fiend in human shape cut out the tongue of a horse belonging to Thomas Wright, of near Susquehanna, Saturday night.

—St. Joseph's Society is picnicking at Maennerchor Park, this afternoon. It will be continued, this evening.

—A woman was killed in a collision of train 18 and a wild cat engine on the N. Y., S. and W. at Oakland, yesterday afternoon.

—McQuoid and Phœnix Engine Companies will play a game of ball on the Hospital Grounds, to-morrow afternoon. Game called at 4 o'clock.

—The Erie Railway Co. has issued orders for the inspection by a competent person of the boilers of all locomotives, once every month.

—Part 16 of America's Greatest Men and Women is now ready at this office. All back numbers can be supplied.

—The picnics of St. Joseph's Society are always pleasant affairs and of the weather is favorable the one at Mannerchor Park, to-night, will be largely attended and all will have a good time.

—William Burrows, of the Fallkill knitting mill, Poughkeepsie, made an assignment, Monday. His liabilities are $10,000 and his assets nominal.

—It is talked very freely among certain members of the Common Council that, if there is any possible way of undoing the blunder made in the appointment of a certain official, it shall be done.

—Competition between rival dealers in kindling wood has cut the price to a cent a bundle, in Paterson, and the retail price, which for years has been three cents a bundle or two bundles for five cents, has been cut to three bundles for a nickel.

—There are two cases of small-pox in Rutherford. One is quarantined in a tent in a retired locality and the other was left in the house in which the patient was taken sick, the building being at some distance from any other residence.

—Waalkill Engine Co. at a special meeting, last evening, appointed Messrs. C. G. Conkling, August Pfaff and E. Wollenhaupt a committee to confer with Pioneer Engine Co., of Ellenville, in reference to the invitation of Pioneers to visit that village.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. C. J. Kidd. of Montgomery, was in town, to-day.

—Mrs. Chas. Tannery and child left, to-day, for Scranton for a two months' visit to relatives.

—Miss Francis Bosworth left, yesterday, for a visit with friends in Middletown.—*Norwich Sun.*

—Mr. Fred Taylor, of New York, formerly of this city, is visiting friends in town.

—Messrs. N. Dullmeyer and C. Knoll, of New York, who have been visiting Mr. P. Steinmann for a few days, returned home, to-day.

—Mrs. Chas. V. Predmore and Mrs. F. H. Chamberlain left town, this morning, driving to Port Jervis, to visit friends.

—Mr. E. M. Madden, who is engaged in Faith Mission work in Elizabeth, N. J., is spending a few days in town.

—Mrs. E. T. Hanford, Mrs. T. D. Mills and Mrs. L. S. Stivers and children left town, this morning, for a week's sojourn at Asbury Park.

—Misses Nellie and Annie Casey, of Brooklyn, who have been visiting Misses Annie and Mary Devar, returned home, Monday night.

—Miss Lulu O. Hannah left town, to-day, on train 16, for Middletown, where she has accepted a position as stenographer, in the office of the Skidmore Mercantile Company. Miss Hannah took a year's course in Drake's Business College, of Jersey City. She is a member of class of '94, of the Academy.—*Port Jervis Gazette.*

—Mr. Chas. E. Whitney was taken suddenly ill, last evening, and is confined to his room to-day.

—Miss Minnie Tracy, of Port Jervis, who has been spending a few days in this city, visiting friends, went to Goshen, last night, where she will visit for a few days and then return to her home, in Port Jervis.

—Messrs. Robert Bushby, travelling agent of the Grand Trunk Railway and James Gass, travelling agent of the Rock Island road, were in town, to-day, looking after the interests of their roads.

—Mr. D. Howell Irwin, a former resident of this city, son of the late D. B. Irwin, is an inmate of the Jefferson College Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa. He is a victim of consumption and his case is regarded as hopeless.

—Mrs. Rachael Chandler Buckley died at her home in Port Jervis, yesterday morning, aged 79 years. She was a native of Walpack, Sussex county, N. J., but had resided in Port Jervis many years. Her nearest relatives are nephews and nieces.

IS SHE THIEF OR LUNATIC?

The Strange Actions of a Woman Near This City—Her Doings Since She Came to Town.

Monday night, about 10 o'clock, a well dressed woman about 45 years old called at the residence of Mr. Frank Bonnell, at Rockville, just north of this city, and told a very plausible story about the carriage in which she and her husband were riding having broken down on the highway a short distance away, and asked permission ~~to remain until~~ her husband returned from Middletown with another carriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnell were glad to be able to accommodate the woman, but were surprised as the hours wore away that the man did not return with the carriage.

Finally all of the members of the family, except Mrs. Bonnell, retired, and the woman insisted that she should also go to bed, but by this time Mrs. Bonnell's suspicions were aroused, and she told the woman to lie down on the lounge and she would rest in an adjoining room, as she would not care to leave her alone with the big house dog, which would surely attack her if she should attempt to move about the room or touch anything.

The strange woman spent the remainder of the night very quietly, probably through fear of the dog, and left at 5 o'clock in the morning and walked towards Howells.

She left behind her a pair of black kid gloves, in the fingers of which were two or three cheap rings.

Mr. Bonnell has since learned that the woman stopped at two other houses in the neighborhood during the day and gave the same story. At one house she remained from 1 to 5 p. m., and at the other from shortly after 5 to 10 o'clock.

Whether the woman is a thief and has adopted this plan to gain entrance to houses, hoping to get an opportunity to pilfer, or is a lunatic, and not responsible for her actions, is not known.

IN THE ROLE OF BOARDING HOUSE BEAT.

On Saturday, July 7th, a woman about 45 years old, giving the name of Mrs. Hyatt, engaged board of Mrs. Nelson on Houston avenue, saying she expected her husband to join her in a few days. Last Saturday, when her week expired, she was unable to pay her board and confessed that she did not know where her husband was.

The woman offered to give two rings and a cameo brooch as security for her bill, but as her jewelry was brass, the offer was declined and she was told to go, which she did, reminding Mrs. Nelson, however, that she was an honest woman, or she might have picked up many articles during her stay.

There is little doubt that the woman, who beat Mrs. Nelson out of a week's board and caused Mrs. Bonnell to lose a night's sleep, is one and the same person.

She is dressed in black and carries a parasol and a small package in a shawl strap.

Wants to Take Back Her Consent.

D. Finn, Esq., who has led opposition to the construction of the electric road through Benton avenue has succeeded in winning a convert to his side, and last evening, served notice on the railway company, that Mrs. Greenleaf desired to withdraw the consent signed by her.

Commander Wheeler Honored.

Commander A. B. Wheeler, to-day, received notice that he had received the appointment of Aide-de-Camp on the staff of Gen. G. B. Adams, Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic. This is the first time a Middletowner has been honored with such an appointment.

Who Owns the "Bike?"

Officer Tyrell, last night, found a bicycle on North street. The owner can have it by calling at police headquarters and proving property.

For Over Three Months

my son suffered night and day with rheumatism; so much so that he was unable to feed himself. Your Sulphur Bitters cured him, and I am truly thankful to say they are an honest medicine.—MRS. W.H. CARLETON, wife of Deacon Carleton, First Baptist Church, Winchester, Mass.

LIFE AT THE STATE CAMP

SOME OF THE HARD EXPERIENCES OF A SOLDIER'S LIFE.

Effects of the Drill in the Hot Sunshine of Monday Afternoon—Lecture on the New Pack—A Cooking School—Incidents of Camp Life.

STATE CAMP, PEEKSKILL, N. Y., Wednesday, July 17.

As I predicted, yesterday, the battalion drill, held in the afternoon, when the sun's fierce rays were beat down on the parade ground, had its effect on the men, all of whom went to bed "dead tired." Some of the soldiers, but fortunately none of the members of "ours," showed the effects of the exposure at evening parade and the hospital or ambulance corps was kept busy carrying from the field men who had fainted while standing at "parade rest." Three men from the regiment and three from the provisional battalion dropped to the ground while standing in line.

Dr. Ashley, who is a member of the corps, was asked the cause of the fainting spells and if they were attributable to the undue use of stimulants, and he reports that not one of the men were affected by drink, but that the long and tedious strain to which they are subjected while standing at "parade rest," during the time the band parades up and down the field, proved too much for them.

TO-DAY'S ROUTINE.

This morning, we went through the usual company drill in extended order, before breakfast. Then came battalion drill for two hours, from 9:30 until 11:30.

In the afternoon at 2 o'clock the officers and non-commissioned officers were summoned to a lecture delivered by Col. Merriman, of the of the 7th Infantry, U. S. A., the inventor of the new pack, with which the guard is now equipped.

The lecture was very entertaining, and the good qualities of the pack fully demonstrated. Men of all sizes and shapes were called out, and the packs, while they are made exactly alike, were easily and quickly adjusted to fit the men by means of the numerous straps.

ATTENDED COOKING SCHOOL.

Quartermaster-Sergeant Schoonmaker and Private Ashley, of the hospital corps, were called to another part of the camp, this afternoon, and were instructed in the practical working of the cooking outfit with which the company has been equipped. This was also an interesting school, a regular meal being prepared by the instructors.

Private Clark was given leave of absence from 2 o'clock, to-day, until to-morrow evening. None of the absentees have thus far presented themselves in camp.

The 24th made another hit on evening parade, last night, and are far and away the "slickest articles" in camp, but the 5th Separate Company, of Newburgh, under the command of Lieutenant Sheehan, is running us a close second.

THE BEAR STILL WITH US.

The bear is still in camp and furnishes much amusement for the soldiers. No more serious results than the tearing of uniforms have happened to any of the men who have fooled with the beast.

A telegram announcing the Asylums, victory over the Cuban Giants was received directly after evening parade, last night, and a war cry went up from the boys.

NO INTEREST IN THIS GAME OF BALL.

There is a game of ball in progress, this afternoon, between two teams from the Regiment, but there are few spectators, the men preferring to remain under their tents, or to go to Peekskill or Iona Island.

The signal corps was at work, to-day, signalling from the adjacent hills.

A civilian was arrested in camp, to-day, for destroying a phonograph belonging to one of the catch-penny fakirs who surround the camp. He was ferried over to Peekskill in handcuffs in charge of a Peekskill policeman.

Lieutenant J. D. Stivers has been detailed as junior officer of the guard for to-morrow. The detail of privates is as follows: Ballman, D. Shafer, Vail. Donald, Dickerson, Supernumary A. J. Smith. A. E. N.

Low Rates to the West.

The Erie will sell excursion tickets to Denver and return on account of the meeting of the League of American Wheelmen, for $48.75 on Aug. 8, 9 and 11, and good to return until Sept. 18th.

Population of the State Hospital.

According to the *Conglomerate* there were, Wednesday, 1,047 patients in the State Hospital, in this city, of whom 516 were males and 531 females. During the week seven patients were admitted and five discharged.

Tired, Weak, Nervous,

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Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring peristaltic action of the alimentary canal.

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Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

A Game of Ball—Performing Bears—Will See the New Yorks and Baltimores Play—Brought Here for Burial

From our regular correspondent.

—There will be a game of ball at the Goshen Driving Park, Saturday, July 21st, between the Goshen and Florida clubs.

—Two performing bears, attended by four dirty foreigners, were on the streets, this morning, amusing the public.

—Quite a number from here will attend the New York-Baltimore game at the Polo Grounds, New York, July 26th.

—The body of the youngest daughter of James Dougherty, formerly of this village, was brought here, yesterday, from Elizabeth, N. J., for interment.

IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

Prospect of a Public Library in Goshen—A Pleasant Amusement for Warm Weather—Personal Mention—A Well Meaning but Misdirected Lightning Flash.

From a special correspondent

—The members of the Village Improvement Society are making an effort to have a public library in Goshen. A committee for the selection of books has already been appointed.

—A favorite amusement of the Goshen people this warm summer weather is a drive to Lake Glenmere, a row on the waters and a return by moonlight.

—Master Everett Murray, of Elmira, has been visiting relatives in this village.

—Sunday's *Sun* told of two men who were driving together recently and beguiling the time by exchanging fish stories, when, suddenly, from an entirely clear sky, came a peal of thunder, a flash of lightning and the entire establishment was a wreck. The wagon was destroyed, the horses killed, patches on the knees of the men's overalls neatly removed, but the men themselves uninjured. The moral of this story would have been better if the men had perished; either they managed these things better in the days of Ananias and Sapphira, or the stories were so tough that they turned aside the lightning from its lawful victim and diverted it to the poor horses. Thus it is that the innocent so often suffer for the guilty. Soldiers fire over the heads of a mob of rioters and kill an old woman. A man commits a crime, lays violent hands on himself and thus finds a relief from his earthly troubles, while his wife and children are left to bear the burden of poverty and disgrace, and so on *ad infinitum.* We notice that the *Sun* neglects to mention the fate of the writer of several stories told in its columns; the one, for instance, about the "holy terror tree" of Arizona, which, when angered by the approach of anything obnoxious to it, erects spines like those of a porcupine and emits a powerful and unpleasant odor. There are very few people who can positively say there is no such tree in Arizona; hence the author's tact in placing it there. There was the narrative, too, of the fisherman who was towing a large muskalonge behind his boat, which leaped from the water and tried to seize its captor by the throat, and of that other fish that, noticing an eel that was helping itself to liquid refreshment from a fisherman's jug, bit of the end of its tail and was thus enabled to have its share of the cold tea it doubtless contained. It must be a risky thing to be a neighbor to the perpetrators of any of those tales during a severe thunder storm.

G. H.

Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown postoffice for the week ending July 16th:

LADIES.

Clawson, Mrs. Max
DeGraw, Miss Mamie
Mills, Mrs. Chas
Raymond, Miss Alice
Semple, Mrs. R.

GENTLEMEN.

Appleton, W. J.
Bush, Wm
Conkelin, Mr. G R.
Foster, J. W.
Lyons Bro
Larsson, Wm.
Munn, Samuel A,
Mills, Chas
Rietly, Charles
Scholl, Rudolf
VanNess, F. E.

C. L. ELWOOD, Postmaster.

A Bullville Man With the Tremens.

From the Newburgh Press.

Richard Burke, a farm laborer of Bullville, Orange county, was before the Recorder, yesterday morning, suffering with an acute attack of tremens. He was committed to jail for safety and medical treatment.

When Travelling,

Whether on pleasure bent or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c. and $1 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co, only.

Assaulted by the Hired Man.

From the Goshen Independent.

Mrs. Matilda Schoonmaker, of this town, was struck and somewhat hurt Monday night by her hired man, Flagner. I appears that she was dissatisfied with his conduct and he, becoming angered at what was said, assaulted her.

Mrs. Schoonmaker is over seventy years old, and has long owned a good farm on the road to Florida, in which neighborhood she is well known.

Money at Auction.

A sale of money took place in the Port Jervis Real Estate and Loan Association, Monday evening. $1,000 sold at a premium of 50¼ cents a share, $3,000 at 50½ cents a share and $2,600 at 44 cents.

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and the only way to make life endurable in such extreme weather is to wear the lightest of clothing.

Don't stint yourself on **Shirt Waists** when you can buy them at our marked down prices.

Another invoice of our popular **Ladies' Wrappers** just opened up. It's about as much as we can do to keep abreast of the demand for these goods. Prices 59c. to $1 50, styles **good** and everybody suited.

Have you tried wearing **Summer or Ventilated Corsets?** Cool and comfortable—50, 75c. and $1 each.

Several pieces of Dotted **Swiss** came in yesterday.

One lot Leather Belts, your choice for 19c., were 25 to 60 cents each.

Mosquito Netting in pink, blue, green, yellow, white, black, etc.

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PRETTY HOT?

Well you won't be if you imbibe freely of our Ice Cream Soda. We are making it so fine these days that we are hard pushed sometimes to serve our friends.

5c.

W. D. OLNEY, Druggist.

A YOUNG GIRL'S FORTUNE.

AN INTERESTING SKETCH.

Nothing appeals so strongly to a mother's affection as her daughter just budding into womanhood. Following is an instance: "Our daughter, Blanche, now 15 years of age, had been terribly afflicted with nervousness, and had lost the entire use of her right arm. She was in such a condition that we had to keep her from school and abandon her music lessons. In fact, we feared St. Vitus dance, and are positive but for an invaluable remedy she would have had that terrible affliction. We had employed physicians, but she received no benefit from them. The first of last August she weighed but 75 pounds, and although she has taken only three bottles of Nervine she now weighs 106 pounds; her nervousness and symptoms of St. Vitus dance are entirely gone she attends school regularly, and studies with comfort and ease. She has recovered complete use of her arm, her appetite is splendid, and no money could procure for our daughter the health Dr. Miles Nervine has brought her.

When my brother recommended the remedy I had no faith in patent medicines and would not listen to him, but as a last resort he sent us a bottle we began giving it to Blanche, and the effect was almost immediate.—Mrs. R. R. Bullock, Brighton N. Y.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee, or sent direct by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, $1 per bottle, six bottles for $5, express prepaid. It is positively free from opiates or dangerous drugs.

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"It wasn't fear, for I remember 'Boss' McKellar, as we used to call him, who came from Butler county. He had been a brave soldier, serving his full three years, never once failing in his duty. The day before his three years were up he went into the battle of the Wilderness. He was so pale and careworn and lacked so much the usual vigor with which he entered battle that some of his friends remarked how changed he was. He looked like a ghost and was trembling all over. They asked him what was the matter. 'Why,' he replied, 'my three years are up tomorrow, but I'll never see my service out. I will be killed in this battle—that I know.'

"His friends tried to cheer him up, betting him that it was only a morbid fancy, but no amount of talk could enliven him. He went into the battle and was among the first to fall, being hit squarely in the forehead. I also remember John Dunbar sitting eating crackers with an officer before a campfire on the eve of battle. He had a sad expression when he turned, and breaking the cracker in his fingers said in a contemplative manner, 'Well, boys, this is my last night on earth.' In the dim firelight I saw the big tears well up as the officer inquired what he meant. 'I'll be shot tomorrow sure.' The officer, seeing how deeply the man was affected, placed his hand upon his shoulder and said: 'Brace up, John. Don't be foolish. Men of Ohio don't talk like that.' But this only made the soldier break down. In the battle next day he was killed among the first. I could give you an indefinite number of such instances, which show that soldiers really had death foretold to them, but these are sufficient. To me it was a most solemn moment when I heard a man say he was going to be killed. It invariably turned out that way."—Exchange.

FRENCH ART OF TODAY.

Only the Genius of the People Keeps It From Hopeless Debasement.

For years all the art roads have led to Paris. It is today the center of the art world, a model of taste, skill and knowledge as well as a hotbed of eccentricities, mannerisms, stilted affectations and small trickeries. It takes in the world, takes credit for all its virtues and is saddled with all its vices. It is ruled by the quips and cranks of what at times seems outrageous fortune; it is magnified and belittled; it is overpraised and underpraised; it seems to be rising to lofty heights at times and then again to be sinking into the mire. It is at once the best and the worst art center in the world, a crucible where all elements mix, all become alloyed, and yet all average up a respectable grade of amalgam. That which keeps it from hopeless debasement is the art genius of the French people. Has that art genius ever reached its apogee? Has it fulfilled its mission and voiced the finer feelings of France, as painting once did in Italy and Spain? Did we accept the exhibit at the World's fair as a criterion we might think her day was about finished, that her artists had said all there was for them to say, but the representation was inadequate.

The French stand sponsor for all the academic emptiness displayed there, for all the studio recitation, all the exaggerated realism, all the tawdry sentiment, and yet at heart they have little sympathy with them. The academic was foisted upon them early in life by the example of Italy and the misdirected energy of royalty. Poussin or Lebrun was no more French in thought or method than Corneille. The monarchy upheld the academic because it smacked of heroism and the empire because it fostered the military spirit, but the republic has barely tolerated it, and the radicals have always hated it. It is the bete noir of French art, against which there has been a long series of revolutions. Why, if not that it fails to represent the French? They are fond enough of talking about such loyalists as Poussin, David, Ingres and Cabanel, but the men they love are the rebels, Watteau, Fragonard, Delacroix, Millet, Corot, Courbet. The vivacious, the decorative, the emotional, the sentimental, the positive—all these they love because they are national characteristics, but the mock heroic, the grandiloquent, the bombastic, have been more the result of foreign imitation than the outcrop of French feeling.—John C. Van Dyke in Century

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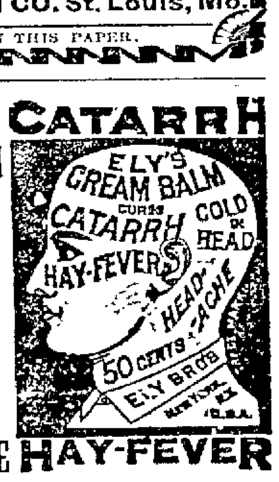

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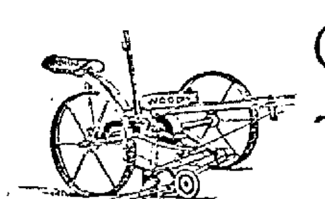

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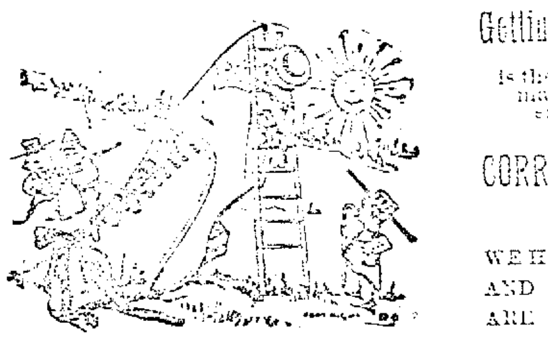

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Directions for hanging a hammock are being printed in many papers now, but one important direction is omitted. When there is a pretty girl in the family, she usually wants the hammock hung in some secluded nook behind the vines where the neighbors cannot see.—Somerville Journal.

It is never a proper thing to correct another in public; it may give the person corrected opportunity to answer in public.—Boston Transcript.

A good many of the fellows off for Europe are not only good sailors, but first class skippers.—Attleboro Sun.

"De man," said Uncle Eben, "dat laiks ter hyah hisse'f talk doan' allus mek frien's, but he kin hab moh fun on less capital dan anybody else on earf."—Washington Star.

"What would you want first if you had a great big fortune?" Greedley—A bigger one.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

"Beg pardon," said the missionary, "but will you translate his majesty's remarks again? Did he tell his daughter that he was to have guests to dinner or for dinner?"—Indianapolis Journal.

"I suppose Grasper will never marry unless he's sure he's getting the flower of the flock?" "Great Scott, no! It's the dust of the family he's after!"—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A boy never saw all of a circus. He firmly believes that only half of it is there, the half that is on the bills being in some other town.—Atchison Globe.

The New Cook—Ah! this is a splendid kitchen. Why, there's room here for a whole regiment!—Nya Presse.

Bicycle Teacher—Now, all you need is confidence, don't you see? The Student of the Wheel—Oh, yes. I tumble.—Philadelphia Record.

Look out for the young woman who frankly declares that she is bound to die an old maid. Before you are aware of it she will be wearing your name, together with a broad gold ring on the third finger of her left hand.—Boston Transcript.

"Have you heard the 8-year-old German boy violinist?" "Oh yes. Twelve years ago in Berlin!"—Tit-Bits.

A serpentine dancer in a London music hall twirls around with so much rapidity that the clocks in her stockings get all wound up.—King's Jester.

As with others, the "hum of industry" also means work with the Jersey mosquito.—Philadelphia Times.

"Her heart is as hard as glass. I can't make any impression on it." "Have you tried a diamond?"—Kate Field's Washington.

The weather is undoubtedly seasonable, but the seasoning is a little high.—Washington Star.

Everything Has a Use.

"Dick Dasher of the Pittsburg Dispatch has a contemptible opinion of western whisky and gives reason for his aversion. It was at Leadville that a tenderfoot once came in and asked for a whisky. He was passed a bottle and a glass. Then, to his surprise, the bartender placed a small whisk broom by the side of the bottle. Of course he was puzzled, but he poured out his drink and drank it slowly, unwilling to profess ignorance in the ways of the wild west, and thinking that some person might come to his rescue. The door opened, and he saw the man who saved him. A big, burly fellow, bristling with revolvers and bowie knives, stepped in the door, and going up to the bar ordered whisky in a voice that seemed to come from somewhere below the cellar. A bottle and a glass were passed to him, and as before a whisk broom was added to the layout. The tenderfoot watched the man carefully. He poured out a glass of whisky, after gulping it down quickly picked up the whisk broom, and going over to a corner of the room brushed away the sand from a portion of the floor. He then lay down and had a fit.—Troy Times.

Foiled.

She was very sweet.

Insinuating her arms about the old man's neck, she kissed him on top of his head.

"Papa," she cooed.

"My pet," he rejoined guardedly.

She nestled closer to his stalwart form.

"Papa," she whispered, and her voice was like the sound of the summer wind. "I saw the love of a bonnet today that was only $75."

He staggered to his feet.

"Never!" he exclaimed. "This looks like a sympathetic strike, and I won't tolerate it a minute."—Detroit Tribune.

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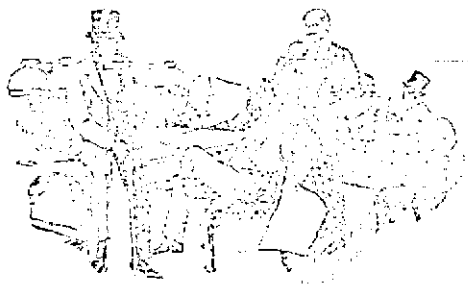

"You seem in good humor, old man."

"Yes. I've just won a bet from my wife."

"Pooh, she won't pay it."

"Yes, she will. I bet her three nights off next month against a dozen orange spoons."—Life.

Broke It Too Suddenly.

"Is this the proprietor?"

"Yes, sir."

"Your men did a job of plumbing at my house last week."

"Yes?"

"And there was a mistake in the bill."

"I hope not, sir. I'"——

"There was a mistake, sir, of $1 in adding up the figures. Here's the dollar. I always—good heavens! What's the matter? Boy, come here, quick! He's in a fit."—Chicago Tribune.

On the Ferryboat.

She—Suppose I was to fall overboard; what would you do?

He—At the risk of my life I would throw——

"Throw yourself overboard after me?"

"Well, not exactly. I am not altogether a blank fool. I would throw you one of those life preservers."—Texas Siftings.

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Solid trains between New York and Chicago, via Chautauqua Lake or Niagara Falls. Pullman cars between New York and Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Chautauqua Lake, Cleveland, Cincinnati and Chicago.

TIME TABLE.

Adopted June 17th, 1894.

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*Daily. ‡Sundays only. †Except Sunday. b. Stops for passengers to Binghamton and beyond.

Middletown & Crawford Branch.—Leave Main St., Middletown, for Pine Bush at 11:40 a. m. daily, and 6:55 p. m. daily.

Montgomery Branch—Leave Goshen for Montgomery at 7:27 a. m., except Sunday, 11:20 a. m. daily, 5:25 p. m. except Sunday.

Pine Island Branch—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11:20 a. m. daily, 6:50 p. m. daily.

Newburgh, via Turners — Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7:35 a. m., except Sunday, 10:53 a. m. daily, and 8:20 p. m. daily; 9:30 p. m. Sundays only. Train 30 connects for Newburgh via Arden instead of Turners.

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Time Table Taking Effect June 24th, 1894.

NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	11 Milk	1 On't Day Exp	3 * Mt'n Exp	17 A Sat Only	7 Sull Co Exp	15 Ulster Co. Exp	5 * Pacific Exp
N. Y. Leave	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M
Franklin St.	3 20	7 40	9 00	1 30	3 00	4 15	7 25
W. 42d St.,	3 45	7 55	9 15	1 45	3 15	4 20	7 45
Weehawken	4 00	8 10	9 30	2 00	3 30	4 40	8 05
Cornwall	6 15	9 45	10 57	3 40	5 00	6 15	9 42
W Cornwall	6 28	9 53	......	......	......	6 22	9 48
Orr's Mills	6 31	9 55	......	......	......	f6 25	n9 50
Little Brit'n	6 51	f10 05	......	......	......	f6 40	n10 02
Burnside	7 10	f10 16	......	......	......	f6 52	n10 15
Campb'll H.	7 21	10 22	11 27	4 21	5 31	6 59	10 20
Stony Ford	7 27	f10 27	......	......	n5 38	7 04	n10 22
M'town Main St.	7 51	10 43	11 58	......	......	7 18	10 38
M'town ar	7 55	10 45	12 00	4 45	5 50	7 20	10 40
M'town lv	8 45	*10 55	12 10	5 00	*6 00	7 30	*10 50
Winterton	9 12	f11 09	n12 25	......	......	7 40	n11 07
Bloom'gb'gh	9 27	11 15	f12 32	5 2[illegible]	......	7 52	f11 13
Wurtsboro	9 33	11 19	f12 36	n5 25	n6 21	7 56	n11 17
Summitville	9 48	11 30	12 45	5 35	6 28	8 04	11 27
Ellenv'lle ar	......	11 50	1 05	5 55	6 50	8 25	......
Fallsburgh	10 45	12 05	1 20	6 14	7 02	P M	12 02
Hurleyville	11 00	12 12	1 26	6 21	7 10	......	n12 09
Liberty F'lls	11 15	n12 22	1 36	6 30	7 20	......	n12 15
Liberty	11 30	12 29	1 45	6 40	7 25	......	12 27
Parksville	11 45	12 40	P M	6 52	7 27	......	n12 36
L'v'gst'n M'r	12 00	12 53	......	7 05	7 50	......	12 55
Rockland	noon	1 08	......	7 20	P M	......	[illegible]
Hancock Jct	......	2 00	......	P M	27	13	[illegible]
Walton	......	2 45	......	......	12 45	8 05	2 52
Delhi ar	......	3 40	......	......	......	......	......
Sidney	......	3 40	......	......	3 50	9 02	3 40
New Berlin	49	......	41	......	......	......	......
N'rwich ar	A M	4 30	A M	......	5 50	9 57	4 22
N'rwich lv	7 00	4 35	7 30	......	P M	10 02	4 42
Oneid' Castl	11 15	6 10	9 15	......	......	......	6 05
Oneida ar	11 25	6 15	9 15	......	......	......	[illegible]
Oneida lv	12 35	6 20	9 22	......	......	......	[illegible]
Fulton	5 05	8 13	11 28	......	......	......	7 51
Oswego ar	6 00	8 35	11 50	......	......	......	8 15
	P M	P M	A M				A M

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 * Atl'tic Exp	12 Nor-wich Exp	14 Del-hi Ex	50 Local	2 Day Exp	18 B Sun-day Spec	28 Mixed
	P M	P M	......	A M	A M	P M	......
Oswego lv	9 40	2 00	......	7 00	6 4[illegible]	......	......
Oneida ar	11 27	5 1[illegible]	......	12 35	8 40	......	......
Oneida lv	11 3[illegible]	5 15	......	[illegible]	8 5[illegible]	......	......
Oneid' Castl	11 55	[illegible]	P M	1 15	8 5[illegible]	......	......
Norwich ar	12 50	7 15	6 40	5 45	10 2[illegible]	......	......
Campb'll H.	......	7 21	8 27	4 21	4 52	7 15	[illegible]
Burnside	......	f7 26	......	......	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Little Brit'n	......	7 30	......	......	[illegible]	[illegible]	7 55
Orr's Mills	f7 12	7 37	......	......	f5 18	f7 43	8 10
W Cornwall	......	7 40	......	......	[illegible]	7 45	[illegible]
Cornwall	7 22	7 47	8 57	4 53	[illegible]	7 50	8 21
Weehawken	8 57	9 30	10 20	6 25	7 0[illegible]	9 27	[illegible]
New York W. 42d St.,	9 10	9 40	10 40	6 35	7 10	9 43	11 05
N. Y., Fkln St. ar	9 25	9 55	10 55	6 50	7 27	10 00	11 25
	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M

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Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville [illegible] Saturday only at 5 35 p. m. Sunday only at [illegible] p. m.

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville [illegible] Sunday only at [illegible] p. m.

Trains leave Delhi for Walton [illegible] and 11 15 a. m., [illegible] p. m. Sunday only [illegible]

Trains leave Walton for Delhi [illegible] a. m., 2 05 and [illegible] p. m. Sunday only [illegible]

For further particulars see [illegible]

[illegible] to all points West. [illegible]

Express trains Nos. [illegible] between New York and Oswego [illegible] Chair Car [illegible] Pullman sleeping car New York to Oswego.

No. 5 arrives at Chicago [illegible] a. m.
No. 6 leaves Chicago via Wabash R. R. [illegible]
No. 6 leaves Chicago via C. & G. T. R. R. [illegible] p. m.

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IN Pursuance of an order made by Hon. John J. Beattie, county judge of Orange county, on the 1st day of May, 1894, notice is hereby given to all creditors and persons having claims against Alonzo L. Dowe, lately doing business in the city of Middletown, county of Orange, and State of New York, under the firm name of Alonzo L. Dowe, that they are required to present their claims, with the vouchers thereof, duly verified, to the subscriber, the assignee of said Alonzo L. Dowe, for the benefit of creditors, at his office, No. 16 East Main street, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 17th day of July, 1894.

GEORGE H. DECKER, Assignee.
Dated Middletown, N. Y., May 5th, 1894.
2,dSat;tJul6

SHOTS HERE AND THERE

AN "ARGUS" MAN OFF DUTY AIMS AT SEVERAL SUBJECTS.

A Young Nurse Girl's Suicide—How He Knew the Peas Were Fine—A Network of Wires—Brought Her Parents to Terms.

A nine-year-old girl hung herself, yesterday, at Welch, W. Va., because she had to take care of the younger children of the family. There are some very young nurse girls in this city, who have the care of brothers and sisters almost as large as themselves, who look as if they could understand why it was that this West Virginia "little mother" made up her mind that life was not worth living and ended it before it had fairly begun.

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A young married man of this city, who indulges in the luxury of a garden, noticed, the other morning, that his pea patch had been visited during the night, and a quantity of peas stolen. He had seen a young man of his acquaintance closely eyeing the garden when he passed it from time to time, as if very much interested in its growth and, meeting him a day or two afterwards near the house, he spoke of the garden and especially of the fine peas. The man to whom the fine quality of the peas was pointed out had, it seems, no idea that the garden was the property of the man to whom he was talking and at once proceeded to give himself dead away by saying: "Fine peas! Indeed they are. I got a mess of them a night or two ago."

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You probably know in a general sort of way that there are a great many wires strung in the streets of Middletown, but you will not realize to what extent our streets are given up to those overhead decorations until you stand on Franklin Square and take a good look at the network of wires at that point. There are trolley wires and wires that hold them in place; electric light wires, fire alarm wires, telegraph wires and telephone wires—so many wires that you wonder what they can all be used for, while the yardarm from which the arc light was formerly suspended, now useless in its ugliness, adds more than a little to the hideousness of the general effect. There is no escape from the wires, for it will be many a year before wires will go underground in this city, but we might at least be spared that useless electric light crane.

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Kathleen Whitman, seventeen years old, of Vineland, N. J., wanted to marry a man of whom her parents disapproved. Despairing of being able to overcome their opposition and seeing no use in living without her heart's desire she attempted suicide. She did not succeed in killing herself but she did succeed in giving her parents such a fright that they gave their consent to their marriage and the relenting father went through the "bless you, my children, act" in the style affected by relenting fathers in novels and romances. Girls who want to bring their parents to their ways of thinking may take a hint from the good luck that attends this Vineland girl's attempt at self-destruction and try the efficacy of a little poison, a pistol shot in some safe place where the scar won't show or even of hanging if some one is near to cut the rope.

HIS FOOT CRUSHED

Stranger Badly Hurt, But Left Without Medical Treatment for Several Hours.

Alexander Cunningham, of Massachusetts, who was on his way to Ellenville, where he had secured a job as cutter, yesterday, boarded an O. and W. freight train to take a free ride as he was out of money.

The train had proceeded but a short distance, when his foot was caught between the deadwoods and badly injured. He was taken off at the depot and the company not being responsible, word was sent to Supt. Wood, who declined to take charge of the case. After five or six hours of delay the matter was finally referred to the police and Captain Grier asked Carl Johnson to take the man to the hospital in the patrol wagon, but he refused to do so as he had received orders to carry no one in the beef wagon that is now doing duty in place of the patrol wagon.

Capt. Grier finally secured a hack and took the man to the hospital.

Cunningham's foot is badly crushed, but no bones are broken and he will be out in a few days.

It would seem that with a public hospital, that was donated by Mrs. Thrall for public use and receives a liberal appropriation from the city, a patrol wagon that is supported at public expense, and is supposed to do duty as an ambulance, it would seem with all these that a stranger, even if he had no money should not have been allowed to lie around the Wickham avenue depot for half a day suffering from an injury before receiving treatment.

There should be more humanity and less red tape in caring for the injured.

The earlier symptoms of dyspepsia—heartburn and occasional headaches, should not be neglected. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla to be cured.

HORRORS OF AN ELECTRIC SHOCK

The Terrible Agony Suffered by Frank LaBar While in the Grip of a Live Wire.

Mr. Frank LaBar, superintendent of construction of the electric road, who received a severe shock, Saturday from a telphone wire which had fallen upon the trolley wire, has recovered from the effects of the shock but his hands are still very sore from the burns.

In conversation with an ARGUS reporter, yesterday, he described his experience.

He said he did not grasp the wire with his hand as had been reported, but touched it with the end of his finger, as he always does before taking hold of a wire, to see if it was charged. Instantly he felt the shock and attempted to draw away his hand but the wire stuck to his finger. He then fell and the wire clinging to his finger, wrapped around his body. He never lost consciousness, but suffered the most excruciating agony, especially in the muscles of the arms and legs.

While living in Scranton he knew of a man being literally torn to pieces in a mill and this accident flashed into his mind at the time and it seemed to him as if his arms and legs were being torn from his body one by one.

He could distinctly feel the shutting off or turning on of the current on the cars on the line, for when the cars were using the power in going up a grade the pressure would relax and he would attempt to tell the men about him what to do to release him, but before he could speak the cars would stop or shut off the current in going down grade and again he would receive the full voltage and the torture would be renewed.

He was all the time hoping for release and felt encouraged when a man took hold of his foot but almost gave up in despair when the man was knocked down by the shock.

It seemed to him a week from the time he came in contact with the wire until he was finally released, although it was but a few minutes.

For two days after the accident Mr. LaBar suffered greatly from pains in the muscles of his arms and legs which he says were like those described by sufferers from inflammatory rheumatism. Saturday night he was unable to sleep on account of the pains: occasionally he would fall into a doze but would imagine himself again in the coils of the wire and really suffered the same agony over and over again.

This is not the first time 500 volts of electricity have passed through Mr. LaBar's body. While on a car in Scranton, during a rain storm, his body formed a connection between the controller and brake handles, and was held tightly in the grip of the electric current. The conductor seeing his plight pulled him off. This time he only received the shock for a few seconds, but he assured the reporter that was quite long enough.

Mr. LaBar says he experienced all the horror of a person facing immediate deaths, for several times, Saturday, while in the grip of the telephone wire, he felt and tried to say, "I am a goner."

HIS FINGERS SPOUTED FLAME

A Peculiar and Painful Accident to an Electrician

From the Paterson Press.

An electrician named Leonard, who was experimenting with a dynamo during the sale of the Dole electric plant in the Barnert mill, yesterday afternoon, had a narrow escape from death. Mr. Leonard had his hands on the machine when suddenly the power was turned on and the dynamo charged. In an instant the man doubled up like a pocketknife, and both his hands were terribly burned and cut, while the front of his clothes was destroyed. A part of the machine burst, and one of the men employed at the works discovered the electrician's plight instantly and shut off the power. The accident happened in a second, and the flesh on the top of the young man's fingers opened like the bursting forth of a rosebud, while a blue blaze shot through the injured members, making the hurts all the more painful. The nails were burned completely off his fingers.

ON THE JAIL LIMITS.

A Well Known Citizen of Wallkill in Custody on an Execution Against the Body.

Mr. A. T. Bertholf was yesterday taken to Goshen by Constable Faulkner and placed on the jail limits under an execution of judgment of the Supreme Court in the matter of the suit of his daughter-in-law, who obtained two judgments in tort against him aggregating about $700. Mr. Bertholf failing to pay the judgments an execution against his property was issued and the judgment not being satisfied an execution against the body was obtained.

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INSTALLATION OF REV. J. W. NORRIS.

Programme for the Installation Services at the North Street Congregational Church, To-morrow.

Owing to sickness, Rev. Mr. Pierce, formerly pastor of the First Congregational Church, and Rev. F. A. Luce, formerly pastor of the North Street Congregational Church, will not be able to take part, as had been expected, in the installation of Rev. John W. Norris as pastor of the North Street Congregational Church, to-morrow.

The order of exercises for the installation, which will take place at 7:30 p. m., will be as follows, unless changes are made by the council of churches, which meets at 2 o'clock:

Anthem..........
Reading of Minutes by Scribe..........
Invocation and Scripture..........
D. Thomas Williams, Howells.
Hymn..........
Sermon..........
Wm. A. Robinson, Middletown.
Installing Prayer..........
Wayland Spaulding, Poughkeepsie.
Hymn..........
Charge to People..........
Lyman E. Davis, Albany.
Charge to Pastor..........
Warren Hathaway, Blooming Grove.
Right Hand of Fellowship..........
Wayland Spaulding, Poughkeepsie.
Hymn..........
Benediction..........
Pastor.

THRALL HOSPITAL.

Cases Treated During the Last Two Months—Contributions of Fruit and Vegetables Solicited.

The managers of Thrall Hospital will hereafter publish a quarterly statement of cases received and treated.

During May, fifteen patients were treated, eight of whom were charity and reduced rate patients. In June, there were twenty-seven patients received, seven of whom were charity and reduced rate cases.

The management respectfully solicits contributions of fruit and vegetables from the people of Middletown and vicinity where abundant yields from garden and orchard more than supply the family needs. To all such this appeal is made, in good faith that many will be glad to respond if this most beneficent charity is recalled to their memory and attention.

SECRETARY BOARD OF MANAGERS.

SURROUNDED BY RATTLESNAKES

Farmer Drake Killed Fifty-three of Them Before the Battle Was Ended.

While Sanford Drake, a farmer living near Narrowsburgh, Sullivan county, was picking huckleberries on the mountain, yesterday morning, he discovered a den of rattlesnakes, and before he was fairly aware of his dangerous position the reptiles had surrounded him.

Siezing a pole Farmer Drake wielded it with all his might, while the snakes approached from every direction, ready for battle. After killing twenty-five his weapon gave out, but he found another pole and this lasted until every snake was vanquished.

When the farmer had completed his work he returned home and told his brother of the affair, and together the two went to the den, where a count showed that Drake had killed fifty-three rattlers, the smallest measuring four feet and three inches in length and five inches in circumference. The rattles were cut from all the snakes and preserved as mementos. There were 574 of them.

CRAWFORD PASSENGERS LEFT

The Mountain Express Pulls Out While They Are Running to Catch It,

The Crawford train was held on orders at Crawford Junction this morning to wait for the O. & W. milk train and was delayed twelve minutes. When it arrived at Main street the Erie Mountain Express was just about to pull out. There were fifteen passengers on the train who wanted to take the express and started to run to the train, but the latter moved off without them and they were forced to wait for the Delaware Valley Express.

A Well Directed Kick,

A large dog belonging to Mr. J. W Dooley, proprietor of the Columbia Hotel, yesterday, jumped upon the back of a little girl passing and made a vicious snap at her.

Mr. Linn Strait, who is employed at the hotel, gave the dog a vigorous kick, which happened to strike over the heart and killed the animal almost instantly.

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Ladies Who Bloat.

What a great number there are, how uncomfortable it makes them; it is almost impossible for those afflicted to enjoy life. In my private practice I have always found Sulphur Bitters to be the best remedy. All who are thus troubled should use it. MRS. DR. CHILDS, Boston.

Mowing Machine Oil, best quality, 50 cents per gallon at McMonage & Rogers' Drug Store.

THEY WERE NOT BURGLARS.

The Fright Caused by Rats in a Hanford Street House.

Two or three nights ago a man and his wife living on Hanford street heard noises in their cellar, which called forth visions of burglars. The man of the house either had no desire to meet burglars or concluded they would find nothing of value so long as they remained in the cellar, and he and his better half lay still but with ears strained for every sound.

The noises which came up from the cellar sounded like the striking of parlor matches, and continued for some time, and then all was still, and believing that that the burglars had departed, husband and wife went to sleep.

Next morning they went to the cellar expecting to see the floor strewn with burned matches, but not a match was found.

The explanation for the noise was found in the broken and empty shells of a dozen eggs, which the good wife had placed upon a shelf the previous evening. A colony of rats upon the premises had enjoyed a royal feast upon fresh eggs, and the breaking of the shells accounted for the noise resembling the snapping of matches.

IT WAS A THREE BASE HIT.

A Disputed Point in the Asylum-Cuban Giants Game Decided

In the Asylum-Cuban Giants game, Monday, Genegel made a smashing hit into the field and reached third base before the ball was thrown there, but his speed was so great that he ran over the base and was touched by the ball before he could return to the bag. The ball sharps began at once to dispute as to whether he should be credited with a two or three base hit, and a bet having been made by an advocate of the two base theory with one of the three base champions, it was referred to the base ball editor of the *Sun* for his decision, which is that it was a three base hit.

FELL FROM A HAMMOCK,

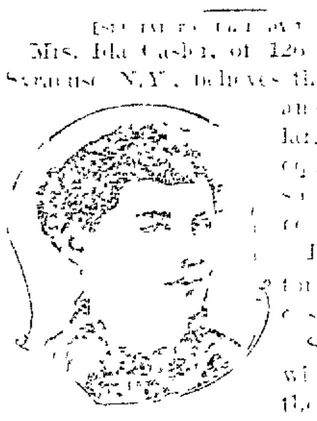
A Middletown Lady Probably Fatally Injured in New York.

Mrs. Lucy Wessels, who recently left Middletown to reside with her daughter, Mrs. Randolph Smiley, in New York, met with probably a fatal accident, a few days ago.

She was lying in a hammock on the back stoop, when the rope broke and she fell heavily to the floor, sustaining serious injury to the spine. The physician who was called to attend her fears she will not recover.

A Missing Girl Found.

Sarah Bedford, the young girl who left her home in New Paltz a week ago, and whose disappearance created quite a sensation, was before Police Justice Simms in New York, Sunday, ready to return to her home. She could not find work. Her parents were communicated with.



MRS. IDA CASLER.

Her Advice to Over-Ambitious Women.

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Mrs. Ida Casler, of 126 Oak Street, Syracuse, N. Y., believes that there is no amount of money large enough to [illegible]

She was so ill with falling of the womb and leucorrhœa that she could not stand. She was attended by several doctors without benefit and was completely discouraged.

One evening she heard what *Lydia E. Pinkham's* Vegetable Compound had done for other women, and decided to try it, together with Mrs. Pinkham's Sanative Wash, and it is well she did, for she says:—

"I am now well and strong. I am not troubled with either trouble, and all owing to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"If more women would use the Compound there would be less suffering in the world. Many women bring on their troubles by over-work. Remember good health will outbid riches every time."

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PRESS and Crease your trousers yourself. Perfection Trousers Press removes bagginess. No heat required. Price $1.25. WOLF & KLOHS Agts., Tailors, North street. 82d&wtf

BARGAIN—For sale, house and lot on East avenue. Lot 57x150. For further particulars enquire at No. 53 East avenue. 98dtf

PINDAR House, corner Wickham and Low avenues. Board at reasonable rates. Commercial $1.50 per day. 1d

TURF NEWS—In the Middletown shoe repairing race Craig wins for durability, style and cheapness. Buttons put on and rips sewed, free at Craig's Repairing Factory, 22 West Main St.

TO LET—Three rooms in house 20 Montgomery street. Enquire at 19 BEATTIE AVE.

NO Strike on Blue Fish—Come to HARFORD'S Market. We have a fine lot of fresh fish of all kinds for Sunday dinner.

WANTED—$2,500 on bond and mortgage, new building, in first class location, cost $4,500. EDWIN S. MERRILL, Attorney at Law, 16 East Main street.

ORDER Gazette, Daily or Sunday N. Y. Papers of BEAKES, News Dealer, 3 Roberts St. Mh29

STORE for Rent, suitable for drug store, grocery or meat business. Enquire at 28tf Pindar House, Wickham avenue depot

LITTLE BABY WAS RAW

Distressing Skin Disease from Birth. Cured in 5 Weeks by Cuticura. Now Healthy as Can Be.

My baby boy had been suffering from birth with some sort of an eruption. The doctors called it eczema. His little neck was one raw and exposed mass of red, inflamed flesh. His arms and across and under his thighs, wherever the fat flesh made a fold, were just the same. For four weeks after his birth he suffered with this eruption, and until I got the CUTICURA REMEDIES, there was little sleep for any one. In five week she was completely cured. He was nine weeks old February 1, and you ought to see his skin now, smooth, even, and a beautiful pink and white color. He is as healthy as he can be. The CUTICURA RESOLVENT has given him tone, vigor and strength. I enclose his portrait.

WM. A. GARDNER, 184 E. 123d St., New York.

CUTICURA WORKS WONDERS

From the age of two months my baby suffered with the eczema on her face and body. Doctored without avail. Used CUTICURA REMEDIES. Found them in every respect satisfactory. The child has now a beautiful skin and is cured. We cheerfully recommend the same to all mothers.

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Sold throughout the world. Price, CUTICURA, 50c., SOAP 25c., RESOLVENT, $1. POTTER DRUG AND CHEM. CORP., sole Proprietors, Boston.

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IN ONE MINUTE THE Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster relieves rheumatic, sciatic, hip, kidney, chest, and muscular pains and weaknesses.

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FOR RENT—Four rooms on first floor, all in first-class order. Enquire at 22 Liberty street. 79tf

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HARD TIMES PRICES — THE ORANGE COUNTY ROOFING CO., No. 6 East Main street is doing good work and selling their celebrated roofing material and paints at prices to suit the times. Asphalt-Wool Felt Roofing, Asphalt Coating for felt, Enamel Varnish for tin and Slate Paint for shingles. 95d&wNov5

NEW TO-DAY.

SPECIAL SALE

OF

Boys', Youths' and Children's Patent Leather SHOES!

which we have just received a large stock of from a Boston manufacturer. These goods are slightly soiled, and will be sold at the following prices:

Boys' $1.09, former price $3.00
Youths' 99, former price $2.00
Children's 89, former price $1.50
Come quick and secure a bargain.

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THERE'S A SURPRISE

in store for those who have been buying goods of other houses if they come and see what elegant styles and fits can be selected from our stock of ready-made clothing.

$4.75.

This is the price for all wool suits for men, of all sizes, in single and double breasted style. These suits are regular $8 suits and best of anything ever offered as a bargain.

STRAW HATS. Large assortment at low prices.

29 cents for Ties, in Tecks and Four-in-Hands, regular 50 cent goods, they go at 29 cents.

SUMMER SHIRTS, with laundered collars and cuffs, 49c., better grades at 65 and 95 cents. Complete summer outfit for little boys, knee pants, waists and blouses.

BUDWIG & CO.,

Leading Clothiers, Tailors, Furnishers,

No. 8 NORTH STREET.

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TOURISTS, ATTENTION, REAL ALLIGATOR BAG FOR $1.90.

13 inch	14 inch	15 inch	18 inch
$2.10	$2.30	$2.50	$3.20

We carry the largest line of Traveling Bags and Trunks of any house in the city. Look at them.

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We keep selling Window Shades. Everybody is finding out our bargains in that line.

Big Cut in Straw Goods.

Big lot Untrimmed Hats to go at 5 and 10c while they last. One lot Trimmed Hats to be sold regardless of cost. Come in and make us an offer. These goods must be sold.

Boys' Straw Hats 15 cents each.

Entire stock of Ribbons, consisting of all colors, widths and qualities, to be sold at 19c. a yard. These goods cost you elsewhere 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 60, 65, 75c. Our price, take your choice, 19c. a yard

One lot Flowers 8c. a bunch, one lot Flowers 15c. a bunch. Come in and see how we've slaughtered prices.

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